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Mayor of New Bedford
Massachusetts

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June 1, 1992

MAYOR

ROSEMARY S. TIERNEY, 322 Maple Street

Salary \$44,000

COUNCILLORS-AT-LARGE

DAVID ALVES	356 Valley Road
BRIAN K. GOMES	31 Cottage Street
THOMAS M. HODGSON	26 Rotch Street
GEORGE ROGERS	23 Robeson Street
JOHN T. SAUNDERS	255 Allen Street

WARD COUNCILLORS

1. DAVID J. GERWATOWSKI	164 Greenbrier Drive
2. FREDERICK M. KALISZ, JR.	231 Collette Street
3. CYNTHIA G. KRUGER	11 Shady Lane
4. MARY S. BARROS	2 Morgan Terrace
5. KENNETH M. FERREIRA	201 Maple Street
6. MARK ZAJAC	105 Fern Street

Salary \$9,500

President of City Council

FREDERICK M. KALISZ, JR.

City Clerk

JANICE A. DAVIDIAN

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JUNE 1, 1992

STANDING COMMITTEES OF THE CITY COUNCIL

FREDERICK M. KALISZ, JR., President
 JOHN T. SAUNDERS, First Vice-President
 GEORGE ROGERS, Second Vice-President

APPOINTMENTS AND BRIEFINGS: Councillors Kalisz, Chairman; Saunders, Vice-Chairman; Alves, Barros, Ferreira, Gerwatowski, Gomes, Hodgson, Kruger, Rogers and Zajac.

AUDIT: Councillors Gomes, Chairman; Ferreira, Vice-Chairman; Gerwatowski, Saunders and Zajac.

CITY PROPERTY: Councillors Saunders, Chairman; Zajac, Vice-Chairman; Barros, Ferreira and Rogers.

COMMERCE, LABOR AND TRANSPORTATION: Councillors Alves, Chairman; Gerwatowski, Vice-Chairman; Barros, Hodgson and Rogers.

ELDERLY AFFAIRS, HEALTH, HOUSING AND VETERANS: Councillors Barros, Chairman; Gomes, Vice-Chairman; Alves, Kruger and Saunders.

FINANCE: Councillors Kruger, Chairman; Rogers, Vice-Chairman; Alves, Barros, Ferreira, Gerwatowski, Gomes, Hodgson, Kalisz, Saunders and Zajac.

INTERNAL AFFAIRS: Councillors Hodgson, Chairman; Alves, Vice-Chairman; Gerwatowski, Rogers and Zajac.

ORDINANCES: Councillors Rogers, Chairman; Kalisz, Vice-Chairman; Alves, Barros, Ferreira, Gerwatowski, Gomes, Hodgson, Kruger, Saunders and Zajac.

PUBLIC SAFETY: Councillors Kalisz, Chairman; Hodgson, Vice-Chairman; Alves, Barros, Ferreira, Gerwatowski, Gomes, Kruger, Rogers, Saunders and Zajac.

RECREATION, TOURISM AND HISTORICAL OBJECTS: Councillors Gerwatowski, Chairman; Rogers, Vice-Chairman; Alves, Hodgson and Zajac.

SHELLFISH AND FISHING INDUSTRY: Councillors Zajac, Chairman; Saunders, Vice-Chairman; Barros, Gomes and Kruger.

STREETS, STREET LIGHTS AND SIDEWALKS: Councillors Ferreira, Chairman; Barros, Vice-Chairman; Gerwatowski, Gomes and Zajac.

COUNCIL ON AGING

No Salary

CLEMENTINA PONTE, Chairman

Term expires

CLEMENTINA PONTE, 228 Highland Street	Nov., 1991
AIME G. GOYETTE, 1515 Sassaquin Avenue	Nov., 1992
JENNIE HORNE, 69 Walden Street	Nov., 1992
DAVID LIPMAN, 47 Lake Street	Nov., 1992
TEREZA PINA, 651 Purchase Street	Nov., 1992
SAMUEL BATY, JR., 325 Bedford Street	Nov., 1993
EDWARD S. CARREIRA, 22 Clover Street	Nov., 1993
MANUEL PACHECO, 35 Emma Street	Nov., 1993
JOSEPH PIMENTEL, 85 Rotch Street	Nov., 1993
FRANK C. MONTEIRO, 79 Hunter Street	Nov., 1994
PAUL F. WALSH, JR., 888 Purchase Street	Nov., 1994

ROSE W. OLIVEIRA, Executive Director

Salary \$31,868.00

ZULMIRA PACHECO, Assistant Director

Salary \$25,900.00

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NEW BEDFORD AIRPORT COMMISSION
 No Salary
 ROBERT B. TWEEDIE, Chairman

Term expires

JOHN P. CALLAGHAN, 46 Atlantic Street	Dec., 1991
LUIS A. RODRIGUEZ, 190 Ash Street	Dec., 1991
WILLIAM N. WHELAN, 39 Turner Street	Dec., 1991
CHRISTOPHER KEARLEY, 190 Dawson Street	Dec., 1992
THEODORE MARMARAS, 143 Seabury Street	Dec., 1992
ROBERT B. TWEEDIE, 34 Hunter Street	Dec., 1992
JOSEPH F. MARSHALL, 48 Turner Street	Dec., 1993
VITO R. MORRA, 320 Prescott Street	Dec., 1993
MICHAEL RUSSELL, 324 Union Street	Dec., 1993

ISIDORE EISNER, AIRPORT MANAGER
 Salary \$36,665.00

ASSESSORS
 Salary \$24,220.00
 PETER S. BARNEY, Chairman

ROBERT M. HUNT, 33 Sycamore Street	Jan., 1994
PETER S. BARNEY, 567 Rockdale Avenue	Jan., 1996
RICHARD W. HINKLEY, 3289 Acushnet Avenue	Jan., 1998

PAMELA K. DAVIS, ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT
 Salary \$46,502.00

BUILDING BOARD OF APPEALS
 No Salary
 RICHARD H. SETTELE, Chairman

ARCHIE RIBEIRO, 465 Kempton Street	March, 1993
RICHARD H. SETTELE, 100 Princeton Street	March, 1994
RAYMOND E. LAGUE, II, 347 Union Street	March, 1995
HENRY J. BISHOP, 105 Hillman Street	March, 1996

ALTERNATE MEMBERS

RALPH E. MOORE, 81 Sutton Street	March, 1990
LEON C. HALLE, 32 Valerie Street	March, 1991

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CEMETERY BOARD
No Salary
DONALD J. CHAUSSÉ, Chairman

Term expires

JAMES E. BARTON, 85 Cottage Street	May, 1992
DONALD J. CHAUSSÉ, 1116 Westgate Street	May, 1993
JESSE V. SANTOS, JR., 1295 Roseanne Street	May, 1994
JOHN OFFLEY, III, 357 Ash Street	May, 1995
WILLIAM SANTOS, 249 Ashley Boulevard	May, 1995

RONALD McCUEN, Assistant Superintendent of Cemeteries
Salary \$32,692.00

COMMISSION FOR CITIZENS WITH DISABILITIES
No Salary

JOHN T. BEAUSOLEIL, 676 County Street	May, 1992
KATHLEEN M. MELANSON, 38 Newton Street	May, 1992
LEONARD F. CORREIA, 318 Arnold Street	May, 1993
M. CELESTE VIEIRA, 1265 E. Rodney French Boulevard	May, 1993
ROBERT BRANCO, 359 Coggeshall Street	May, 1994
DANIEL GERMANO, 387 W. Clinton Street	May, 1994
LYNNE E. SMITH, 156 Cottage Street	May, 1994

CONDO CONVERSION REVIEW BOARD

MARY BETH DOWD, 134 Orchard Street	Dec., 1990
MARY S. BARROS, Councillor Ward Four	Dec., 1991
JOAQUIM JACK RIBEIRO, P.O. Box J4022	Dec., 1991
DOROTHY M. BERRIOS, 476 Purchase Street	Dec., 1992
LYNN WHITNEY, 416 Union Street	Dec., 1992

CONSERVATION COMMISSION
No Salary
JOHN P. GURNEY, Chairman

RONALD FORTIN, 1113 Tobey Street	June, 1992
JOHN P. GURNEY, 1549 Morton Avenue	June, 1992
CHARLES H. FRANKLIN, JR., 4385 Acushnet Avenue	June, 1993
KARL A. KUMMER, 1996 Shawmut Avenue	June, 1993
CHARLES SHURTLEFF, 303 Wood Street	June, 1993
RAYMOND VALENCIA, 123 Milford Street	June, 1994

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BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS
 MARIA TOMASIA, Chairman
 Salary \$35,692.00
 Other Board Members, Stipend \$892.00

Term expires

CLAIR F. CARPENTER, (Rep.), 2055 Acushnet Avenue	April, 1993
LOUIS J. OSTRIC, (Rep.), 3 Clinton Place	April, 1993
MARIA TOMASIA, (Dem.), 256 Maple Street	April, 1994
J. LOUIS LeBLANC, (Dem.), 4090 Acushnet Avenue	April, 1995

ASSISTANT ELECTION COMMISSIONERS

DAUREEN LINGLEY-CHOR	BETH BERNIER-KILANOWICH
DEBORAH GONZAGA	SHERRIE G. SILVA

EXHIBITION HALL COMMISSION
 No Salary
 GERALD R. MESSIER, Chairman

GERALD R. MESSIER, 296 Belair Street	Nov., 1991
GEORGE ROGERS, Councillor-at-Large, 23 Robeson Street	Nov., 1992
FRANCIS D. METTHE, 28 Lincoln Street	Dec., 1993
ARMAND R. MARCHAND, 99 Madison Street	Nov., 1995

FIRE DEPARTMENT
 Mayor ROSEMARY S. TIERNEY, Executive Head

HENRY A. OPENSHAW, JR.,	Salary \$58,476.00	Chief
ROGER H. NADEAU, JR.	Salary \$51,471.00	Deputy Chief
ERNEST E. OLIVEIRA	Salary \$44,468.00	First District Chief
PAUL N. CODERRE	Salary \$44,468.00	Second District Chief
MANUEL M. REZENDES	Salary \$44,468.00	Third District Chief
NEIL E. ENGLAND	Salary \$44,468.00	Fourth District Chief
JOHN L. VIVEIROS	Salary \$44,468.00	Fifth District Chief
JAMES E. BABINEAU	Salary \$44,468.00	Sixth District Chief
BRIAN P. FARIA	Salary \$44,468.00	Seventh District Chief
PAUL LEGER	Salary \$44,468.00	Eighth District Chief
WARREN L. IDE	Salary \$44,468.00	Ninth District Chief

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TRUSTEES OF FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY

No Salary

ROSEMARY S. TIERNEY, Chairman, Ex-officio

	Term expires
JOAN A. LOPEZ, 89B Oesting Street	April, 1991
ROBERTA BARNET, 20 Morelands Terrace	April, 1992
ROSE FERREIRA, 266 Hawthorn Street	April, 1992
JAMES R. HAYDEN, 12 Pinette Street	April, 1992
ELSIE R. FRAGA, 537 Kirby Street	April, 1993
ELSIE SOUZA, 47 Seventh Street	April, 1993
MICHAEL HOGAN, 134 Ohio Street	April, 1993
CONSTANTINE F. BEBIS, 24 Anthony Terrace	April, 1994
CARL CRUZ, 202 Cedar Street	April, 1994

ROSEMARY MEDEIROS, Library Director

Salary \$43,405.00

TRUSTEES OF BEQUESTS, GIFTS AND TRUST FUNDS

MARJORIE E. JENNEY, 150 Hawthorn Street	April, 1993
ELSIE R. FRAGA, 537 Kirby Street	April, 1994
EDWARD F. IACAPONI, 166 Alva Street	April, 1995

HARBOR DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

MAYOR ROSEMARY S. TIERNEY, Chairman, Ex-officio

GERALD B. WHEELER, JR., 60 Sutton Street	Dec., 1991
JOSE GOUVEIA, JR., 112 Bryant Lane	Dec., 1992
JOSEPH P. SILVA, 467 Mill Street	Dec., 1992
EDWARD J. ILSLEY, 79 Brownell Street	Dec., 1993
RICHARD A. WALEGA, 550 Allen Street	Dec., 1993
PAUL P. SWAIN, 24 Acorn Street	Dec., 1994

MARTIN S. MANLEY, Director

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HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION
No Salary

Term expires

SR. KATHLEEN HARRINGTON, R.S.M., 52 Illinois Street	Dec., 1992
PATRICIA MELLO, 24 Central Avenue	Dec., 1992
LORRAINE PAYTON, 135 Query Street	Dec., 1992
CYNTHIA L. EDWARDS, 6A West Hill Road	Dec., 1993
BENJAMIN RIVERA, 950 Rockdale Avenue	Dec., 1993
SEVERIANO F. ROCHA, 242 Brownell Street	Dec., 1993
VALERIE M. ALMEIDA, 20 Valentine Street	Dec., 1994
ROBERT G. FORTES, 85 West Hill Road	Dec., 1994
MICHAEL J. MURRAY, 632 Coggeshall Street	Dec., 1994

INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT FINANCING AUTHORITY
No Salary

GLEN F. JOHNSON, 180 Bedford Street	April, 1991
HERSHEL ALPERT, 35 Meriam Street	April, 1992
BRUCE A. ALMEIDA, 67 Mill Street	April, 1993
MARK C.W. MONTIGNY, 94 Hawthorn Street	April, 1994

LICENSING BOARD
BRUCE J. OLIVEIRA, Chairman
Stipend \$3,465.00
Other Board Members, Stipend \$2,625.00

EDGAR L. GOBEIL, 172 Hadley Street	June, 1990
BRUCE J. OLIVEIRA, 119 Plymouth Street	June, 1992
CARLOS PACHECO, 272 Lafayette Street	June, 1994

BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS
No Salary
WILLIAM O'BRIEN, Chairman

JOSEPH DIAS, 243 Wilbur Street	May, 1993
VICTOR C. PINHEIRO, 540 Brock Avenue	May, 1994
RITA RIBEIRO, 910 Pine Hill Drive	May, 1995
INEZ MELLO, 507 Barnard Street	May, 1996
WILLIAM O'BRIEN, 52 Carroll Street	May, 1997

JOSEPH R. ARSENault
Assistant Superintendent of Parks - Salary \$30,403.00

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PLANNING BOARD
No Salary
ROSEMARY S. TIERNEY, Chairman

Term expires

ROSEMARY S. TIERNEY, Mayor	Ex-officio
MARC R. ROUSSEAU, City Planner, Acting Chairman	Ex-officio
PAUL A. LANDREVILLE, Building Commissioner	Ex-officio
LAWRENCE D. WORDEN, Commissioner of Public Works	Ex-officio
JOSEPH DIAS, Park Board Member	Jan., 1993
DAVID F. CONSTANTINE, D.M.D., Health Board Member	Jan., 1994
KENNETH M. FERREIRA, Councillor Ward Five	Jan., 1994
BRIAN K. GOMES, Councillor-at-Large	Jan., 1994

POLICE DEPARTMENT

RICHARD A. BENOIT	Chief
ROBERT J. VITAL	Deputy Chief

Salary \$56,076.00

Salary \$49,359.00

RECREATION COMMISSION
No Salary

ELIZABETH S. MARTIN, 118 East Clinton Street	Dec., 1990
MICHAEL P. YOUNG, 32 Brier Street	Dec., 1991
PETER M. BRITTO, 299 County Street	Dec., 1992
MANUEL MACEDO, 89 Mosher Street	Dec., 1992
WAYNE B. RICHMOND, 51 Swan Street	Dec., 1992
SEAN HARGRAVES, 15 Plympton Street	Dec., 1993
PATRICIA A. ROSE, 45 Pine Ridge Street	Dec., 1993
RODNEY P. HUNT, 193 Chancery Street	Dec., 1994
JOHN R. LOPES, 75 Dudley Street	Dec., 1994

BARRY MEUNIER, Recreation Director
Salary \$36,075.00

NEW BEDFORD REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY
No Salary
DONALD R. GAUDETTE, Chairman

GILBERT J. COSTA, 185 Milford Street	July, 1992
BRENDA LOPES, 108 Nautilus Street	July, 1993
LEO POINEAU, 2615 Acushnet Avenue	July, 1994
DONALD R. GAUDETTE, 1125 Pequot Street	July, 1995
MARCEL L. BERUBE, 60 Willow Street	July, 1996

MARTIN S. MANLEY, Executive Director

REGIONAL REFUSE MANAGEMENT DISTRICT COMMITTEE

- New Bedford Members -

Term expires

GEORGE H. BRIGHTMAN, 60 Durfee Street	June, 1992
SCOTT D. ALFONSE, 57 Briarwood Drive	June, 1993
ROSEMARY S. TIERNEY, Mayor, 322 Maple Street	June, 1994

EDITH DeMELLO, Executive Director

REGIONAL VOCATIONAL SCHOOL COMMITTEE

- New Bedford Members -

DOLORES C. LEWIS, 629 Purchase Street	May, 1992
PHILIP A. GALINDO, 415 County Street	May, 1993
ARTHUR BENNETT, 18 Centre Street	May, 1994
JOAQUIM "JACK" NOBREGA, 18 Tremont Street	May, 1995

RETIREMENT BOARD
No Salary

DANIEL W. PATTEN, City Auditor	Ex-officio
ANNE FITCH, 61 Cottage Street	June, 1994
PAUL M. LESTAGE, 110 Brigham Street	June, 1995

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

ROSEMARY S. TIERNEY, Mayor, Chairman, Ex-officio
MARGERY "RUBY" DOTTIN, Vice-Chairman

MARGERY "RUBY" DOTTIN, 33 Nashua Street	Jan., 1994
THOMAS R. HUNT, 74 Giffords Lane	Jan., 1994
JOAQUIM "JACK" NOBREGA, 18 Tremont Street	Jan., 1994
CARLOS PACHECO, 272 Lafayette Street	Jan., 1996
J. MARK TREADUP, 460 Middle Street	Jan., 1996
RONALD J. WALSH, 11 Longview Road	Jan., 1996

CONSTANTINE T. NANOPoulos, Superintendent of Schools
Salary \$77,941.00

Assistant Superintendents - Salary \$59,293.00

 WILLIAM H. MARGINSON - Special Services

 JOSEPH S. SILVA, JR. - Elementary Education

NEW BEDFORD TRAFFIC COMMISSION
No Salary
LIEUT. RICHARD NETINHO, Chairman

Term expires

LIEUT. RICHARD NETINHO, Police Chief Representative
LAWRENCE D. WORDEN, Commissioner of Public Works
DAVID DeTERRA, Inspector of Wires
THOMAS M. HODGSON, Councillor-at-Large
EILEEN D. POKORNY, 146 Davis Street
MARK ZAJAC, Councillor Ward Six
JOANNA MARDEN, 50 Cherry Tree Lane
MICHAEL P. YOUNG, 32 Brier Street

Ex-officio
Ex-officio
Ex-officio
Dec., 1992
Dec., 1992
Dec., 1992
Dec., 1993
Dec., 1994

JOHN J. McKENNA, JR., Executive Secretary
Salary \$34,333.00

VETERANS ADVISORY BOARD
No Salary

AMOS MORIN, 976 Elliot Street - World War I
WILLIAM POUNDER, 16 Dudley Street - World War I -
JOHN A. DIAS, JR., 348 Sawyer Street - Vietnam -
MANUEL P. GOMES, 461 Mill Street - Korean War -
EDWIN L. LIVRAMENTO, 112 Park Street - World War II -
KARL E. DUPRE, 3347 Acushnet Avenue - Korean War -
FRANK MARTIN, JR., 78 Ridgewood Road - Vietnam -
DAVID H. MELTZER, 398 W. Clinton Street - World War II -
JOHN P. SARKES, 1011 Church Street - Public-at-Large

Dec., 1987
Dec., 1987
Dec., 1991
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Dec., 1992
Dec., 1993

WATER BOARD
No Salary
MAYOR ROSEMARY S. TIERNEY, Chairman Ex-officio

ROSEMARY S. TIERNEY, Mayor
FRANK ALMEIDA, 14 Moynan Street
BRUCE W. DUARTE, 14 Parker Street
GEORGE H. BRIGHTMAN, 60 Durfee Street
WILLIAM J. KRUGER, 160 Summer Street

Ex-officio
June, 1992
June, 1993
June, 1994
June, 1995

MURIEL BRUNEAU, Superintendent of Water Works
Salary \$40,298.00
CHARLES P. SHURTLEFF, Asst. Supt. of Water Supply and Distribution
Salary \$33,550.00
JAMES GARCIA, Asst. Supt. of Water Construction
Salary \$27,070.00

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ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS
No Salary
JACK A. CARVALHO, Chairman

Term expires

MURRAY L. GOLDBERG, 181 Ryan Street	Dec., 1992
JACK A. CARVALHO, 34 Keene Street	Dec., 1993
DONALD GOMES, 220 Pleasant Street	Dec., 1994
BENEDICT J. HARRISON, 134 Bedford Street	Dec., 1995
FREDERICK J. McLOUGHLIN, Jr., 95 Madison Street	Dec., 1996

ASSOCIATE MEMBERS

RALPH D. LIDER, 172 Plymouth Street	Dec., 1993
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CITY OFFICIALS

JUNE 1, 1992

	Salary
Administrative Officer	\$32,635.00
Animal Inspector/Control Officer	20,467.00
Building Commissioner	40,565.00
Deputy Inspector of Buildings	26,925.00
City Auditor	43,247.00
Assistant Procurement Officer and Buyer	25,004.00
City Clerk/Clerk of City Council	38,600.00
Assistant City Clerk	21,657.00
Assistant Council Clerk	30,153.00
City Planner	32,047.00
Environmental Planner	28,499.00
Environmental Planner	28,499.00
City Solicitor	31,199.00
First Assistant City Solicitor	49,398.00
Assistant City Solicitor	19,532.00
Assistant City Solicitor	19,532.00
City Treasurer/Collector of Taxes	43,332.00
Assistant City Treasurer	22,542.00
Civil Defence Director	31,868.00
Clerk of Committees	13,460.00
Assistant Clerk of Committees	28,180.00
Commissioner of Public Works	52,039.00
Administrative Assistant to D.P.W.	49,757.00
Communications/Emergency Medical Services Director	41,126.00
Cultural Development Director	22,542.00
Equal Opportunity/Americans w/Disabilities Act	
and Contract Compliance Director	30,403.00
Executive Aid to Mayor	29,979.00
Head Zoo Caretaker	30,403.00
Housing and Neighborhood Development Director	46,244.00
Human Services and Mayor's Drug Free Community	
Partnership Director	31,025.00
Inspector of Wires	34,333.00
Legal Counsel to the City Council	19,532.00
Management Information Systems Director	38,600.00
Management Information Systems Analysts	22,542.00
Personnel Director	22,542.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	43,405.00
Deputy Sealer of Weights and Measures	31,109.00
Shellfish Warden	26,920.00
Veterans Services Director	31,308.00
Workers Compensation Agent	34,266.00
	19,532.00

INAUGURAL ADDRESS
OF
HONORABLE ROSEMARY S. TIERNEY



MAYOR OF NEW BEDFORD
MASSACHUSETTS
TO CITY COUNCIL

JANUARY 6, 1992



Rev. Clergy, Lt. Governor Paul Cellucci, Judge Jacobs and members of the Bench, Sr. Janet Eisner, President of Emmanuel College, Dr. John Deck, Chancellor of the University of Massachusetts at Dartmouth, distinguished members of the area delegation and the Governor's Council, distinguished ladies and gentlemen of the City Council, the School Committee and Board of Assessors, other distinguished elected officials, members of my immediate family and of my extended family, you, the Citizens of New Bedford.

The first thing a new Mayor should say to the people of the City is "thank you." Thank you for electing me, for asking me to serve as chief executive of this old and honorable corporation, our City of New Bedford.

These thanks are not just a hollow formality. I mean them. I recognize that this office of Mayor, to which I have just sworn an oath before God to give my best efforts, is both a high honor and a strict responsibility. Both this honor and these responsibilities have been loaned to me by you, and I understand very well that I am answerable to you and that I have to live up to them, every day of my tenure in this office. I thank you for the honor and privilege of serving you as Mayor. I look forward to the challenge.

Let me say also, that I take this office to be the office of Mayor of all the people of this City. My politics and my policies are politics and policies of inclusion, and that means that I want, and ask for, the help of all of the citizens of this City just as I now offer my energies and skills to every citizen of New Bedford, from every neighborhood, in every walk of life, of every generation and gender, of all persuasions of politics and of religion, of every color, of every race, the happy, the hurt, the helpless, in a word, all of us. I will not be in anybody's pocket, but I will be in everybody's corner, and everybody will be welcome in mine.

The inauguration of a Mayor is always an historic event, but this one is especially so, since you have elected, and today have sworn in, the first woman Mayor of our City. My mother and mother -in-law, both of whom saw women receive the right to vote in their lifetimes, would have loved to have been here tonight. Our electorate understands, and has shown that they understand, that men and women are equally qualified to serve in any job that this City of New Bedford has to offer. And as the first woman in New Bedford's highest office, I will feel a special obligation to be, for men and women alike, a proof of that understanding. I also feel a very special pride in you, for being one of the first municipalities in Massachusetts to translate your beliefs in equal opportunity for men and women into practical reality at the very top.

It was with a sense that this is an historic event that I read through the inaugural addresses of previous Mayors. What I found was very interesting and, very encouraging.

Let me quote to you from some of those earlier addresses.

"Our city enjoys an enviable location. It possesses a good harbor, beach and recreation areas, which must be properly capitalized, and above all, a recognized labor skill second to none in the world. We together , must start anew on the long road back to economic revival. Quibbling amongst ourselves and petty jealousy among special interests must be cast aside. The revival of town spirit and civic pride must become widespread. New Bedford has something to sell, let us sell it." **Francis J. Lawler, January 2, 1956**

"It is also very bad advertising for a city of more than 100,000 people seeking industry, to have vacant stores on our main streets. As I take office, I find myself confronted with the problem of weighing the needs of our City as balanced against the serious problems confronting our real estate taxpayers, many of whom are working only part time, and some of [them] are not employed at all.... We find ourselves here on January 1, confronted with the very serious problem of re-establishing our City as a thriving metropolitan center which will provide a better way of life and a higher standard of living for our young people and cause them to build their futures here rather than other areas of the United States." **Edward F. Harrington, January 1, 1962**

"We shall meet this challenge. Our municipal government must and will strive to make New Bedford a better place in which to live...work...and raise a family. We can insist on no less, but insist it be done frugally and with an eye constantly fixed on the city's ability to raise the necessary revenue." **John A. Markley, January 1972**

Those thoughts, which sound as though they were written this morning, tell us that our people have been faced with hard times and tough choices before, indeed for at least the past four decades. We don't quit. We do survive. If the spirit and the grit and the guts that I saw in our people during this last campaign are any index, we New Bedford folks actually thrive on adversity, we eat up challenge, we rise to the occasion, all the more so when the challenge is daunting or the occasion is a stern and demanding one. Thank God we have it, for that spirit will have to be the driving life force of this City of ours in the years ahead.

You don't need to hear from me that times are very hard. What you do have a right to hear from me is what I - and you -- and all of us together - are going to do about it.

Here are some concrete actions I will take:

First, I have prepared and will institute at 9:00 tomorrow morning an Executive Order, Number 1-92, which puts a freeze on all new hiring and on all new spending over three hundred dollars not first reviewed by me and approved by me in writing. That will not cure our municipal financial distress at the stroke of a pen, but it will at least begin to hold the line and, perhaps more importantly, will send a loud, clear, unmistakable signal that this administration is serious about saving your money.

Second, I have prepared, and will send at 9:00 tomorrow morning, a memorandum to each and every Department Head requiring him or her to report to me in writing by the close of business on Monday, January 13, 1992, concerning his or her Department's current compliance with the City budget, its personnel and capital equipment status, and its on-going use, if any, of outside consultants.

This information is critical to intelligent planning, and, again, my asking for it ought to carry a message into every corner of City Hall that I mean to be serious about running our City with your money, and that the rest of us who work for you will have to take that obligation seriously, too.

These first steps at getting things under control will be my first official acts as Mayor. But I have already been at work for you. When I campaigned for this office, I told you I wanted to tap all of the resources available to us with which to nourish and stimulate New Bedford's economic health and development. I told you I would vigorously pursue what the Federal government can do for us, that I would strive vigorously to obtain what resources the Commonwealth can make available, and that I would, especially, draw broadly and deeply from the experience and expertise of our own business and industrial leaders to see how our local government and local businesses can form an effective partnership to create new jobs here and to keep the ones we have.

For example, I have already been in touch with Senators Kennedy and Kerry, Congressmen Studds, Frank, Moakley and Donnelly, and Former Speaker Tip O'Neill. All of them have responded positively to my request to meet with them, and I have already had meetings since my election with Senator Kennedy and Congressman Studds. I will meet with Senator Kerry on Wednesday. Senator Kennedy and I have had a very encouraging conversation about the fruits of the economic conversion bill which he is introducing and we will meet again this Friday to explore this further.

I have also met with Senator MacLean and the area delegation to the Massachusetts Legislature, as well as with the Mayors of Fall River, Attleboro, and Taunton - the Southeastern Massachusetts Partnership. Senator MacLean and the delegation have assured me of their active cooperation. The Partnership is an effort to work collaboratively for the entire region; New Bedford will be a full and committed member.

I have been in active contact with our business and industrial leaders and have been particularly careful to make sure that business and industry understand that New Bedford wants industry and is a business-friendly, not a business-hostile, City. I have met with the heads of major local manufacturing and retailers; Cliff Tuttle, President of Aerovox, Bob Dubiel, Vice President of Acushnet Company Golf Division, Jim Honohan, Senior Executive Vice-President of Acushnet Company Golf Division, Randy Faria of Dartmouth Finishing, Orren Robbins, Publisher of the Standard Times, John Moore and Liz Isherwood of Moore & Isherwood, Inc., John Day, President of St. Luke's Hospital, and John Hodgson, Chairman of the Board of Trustees, representatives from Downtown New Bedford, Inc. the North End and South End Business Associations, and numerous individuals associated with the Greater New Bedford Area Chamber of Commerce.

There are some positive signs of industry's renewed faith in the City of New Bedford. Signs like the announcement by Aerovox that it's moving its Canadian operations to New Bedford...creating new jobs for our people. City government must continue to show businesses that New Bedford wants industry and jobs for our people. We have to keep costs down to send business the right signals. We have to preach that message tirelessly. I intend to do so. We need to develop our own marketing plan to sell New Bedford aggressively in the International and National market place.

We need to sell New Bedford to the American people. Millions of people live within range of New Bedford and thousands of them pass by on our highways every year. We need to encourage them to stop, shop and spend money here. We need to promote our location as a great seaport closely linked to the recreational areas of Cape Cod and the Islands, yet within miles of a wide range of expertise available not only from our Universities and Colleges but from the Boston and Providence area as well.

We need to sell New Bedford to the business world telling them we have a large, trained, disciplined and experienced work force which will work at competitive wages.

Finally, we need to sell New Bedford to ourselves. We, the people of New Bedford, need to have faith in ourselves. That faith can be solidly based on the way we have met challenges over the centuries.

We met the challenge of the growing industrialization of the country by developing the greatest whaling fleet the world has ever seen. We met the challenge of the decline of whaling by developing a major textile industry. We met the challenge of the decline of textiles and the Great Depression with a program of successful diversification. We met the challenge of large scale immigration by developing a multi-ethnic culture which has been not only peaceful and mutually supportive but enriching and productive. Our present challenge once again is an economic one, to develop more industries and jobs.

New Bedford, with all its current struggling, is still a terrific City. We have the best, hardest working, and most community-minded, people anywhere. We have enormous unrealized potential, and we have marvelous resources of which the rest of the world is relatively ignorant. The years ahead will impose more sacrifices, will require the taking of more risks, will call for a revival again of our famous spirit of self-reliance and mutual aid. But we are a people who can and do survive and grow and we are a resilient people, always ready for the future, always up to the newest and most demanding challenges.

Let's revive our faith in ourselves, together. And at this Epiphany season let's rekindle New Bedford's light, let's renew our faith in ourselves and with faith that God will provide me with wisdom and courage to perform well, let's go forward together!

Thank you very much.....

**TWENTY-NINTH ANNUAL REPORT
of the
DEPARTMENT OF RECREATION
of the
CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
MASSACHUSETTS
FY 92**

**City of New Bedford
Recreation Commission
FY 92**

Board of Commissioners

**Michael P. Young, Chair-person
John Lopes, Vice Chairperson**

**Peter Britto Manuel Macedo
Sean Hargaves Elizabeth Martin**

Administration

**Barry Meunier, Director of Recreation
and Clerk of the Commission**

Herbert Rego, Assistant Director of Recreation

**Diane J. Senna, Head Clerk
Secretary of the Commission**

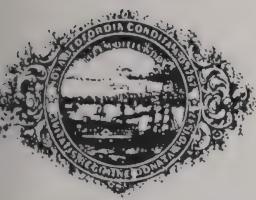
Permanent Staff

**Nancy Charroux, Recreation Leader
(Golden Age)**

**Carol Ollivierre, Recreation Supervisor
(Special Needs)**

Recreation Commission Office

181 Hillman Street City Hall Annex



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CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
MASSACHUSETTS
RECREATION COMMISSION

Rosemary S. Tierney, Mayor

June 30, 1992

To The Honorable City Council
City of New Bedford
New Bedford, Mass. 02740

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Submitted herewith is the Annual Report of the
Recreation Department for the fiscal year ending
June 30, 1992.

Respectfully submitted,

Barry Meunier
Barry Meunier
Director of Recreation/Parks

June 30, 1992

In spite of a state economy that continues to worsen resulting in the loss of revenues to local communities, the Recreation Department has managed to offer throughout the past year a multitude of programs designed to meet the leisure time goals of its citizens.

This has been made possible through the efforts of our dedicated staff and the guidance of the Recreation Commission. To offset a decrease in our budget, additional user fees were instituted to enable us to maintain a high level of programming.

Our year-round programs continued to prosper thanks to the efforts of Nancy Charroux with our Senior Citizens Programs and Carol Ollivierre with our Special Needs Program. The Seniors' Travel Program continued to grow in popularity despite the recession and the highlight of the Special Needs program was the bringing home of a Gold Medal from the International Special Olympics held in Minneapolis-St.Paul. The gold medal was won by Lewis Sylvia in the sport of Bocce.

The summer programs were highlighted by the staffing of 12 city parks and playgrounds for 6 weeks. Activities included arts and crafts, athletics, games, tennis lessons, field trips, sports clinics, and a summer lunch program which fed 1200 youngsters a day. The lunch program was organized and conducted by the Recreation Department for the first time and was very successful.

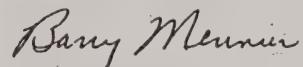
Other summer events included Camp Kennedy, an 8 week summer day camp, the Hershey Track and Field Clinic and Competition, Cheerleading and Baton Twirling Clinics, and the staffing of our city beaches.

Our Fall-Winter program included gymnastics, mens basketball, youth basketball clinics, adult co-ed volleyball, and our after-school programs at Campbell and Carter Brooks Schools.

As we approach the summer of 1992, we look forward to again fully staffing our city beaches for 7 days per week thanks to Mayor Rosemary Tierney and her commitment to our department.

With the anticipated support of the Mayor's Office and the City Council, we look forward to a successful 1992-93 season.

Respectfully submitted,



Barry Meunier
Director of Recreation/Parks

SPECIAL NEEDS PROGRAM

June 30, 1992

It has proven to be an exciting year with the High-light being the winnings of a "Gold Medal" by Lewis Sylvia at the International Special Olympics Games held in St.Paul-Minneapolis July 20 - 27. Lewis won the "Gold" in the sport of Bocce competing against athletics from throughout the world.

Our athletes also competed in Special Olympics Events in New Bedford, Smith College in Northhampton, and at Ocean Edge in Brewster. As always, we won our fair share of medals.

Field trips were taken to Roger William Park and Zoo, the Whaling City Festival, and to Martha's Vineyard on the Schoomonchi. Special Events included our summer show entitled "The Fort Rodman Dancers," our Christmas Party, Easter Egg Hunt, Valentine Dance, and Halloween Party.

Many thanks to all who assisted us this year and making it so successful.

Respectfully submitted,



Carol Ollivierre
Recreation Supervisor
Special Needs

SENIOR CITIZENS TRAVEL PROGRAM

The Recreation Commission, through the Buttonwood Senior Citizens Travel Program sponsored 43 bus trips for Senior Citizens, with an average per trip income of \$ 238.60.

A gross income of \$ 10,259. was generated during the year. Cost for printing expense was \$ 857.45 leaving a net earnings of \$ 9,401.77.

Respectfully submitted,



Nancy Charroux
Recreation Leader (Golden Age)

Financial Statement**Salaries and Wages Account**

Appropriation - Budget	\$ 185,195.00
Expenditures	- 193,329.28
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	\$ - 8,134.28

Charges and Services**300 Account**

Appropriation - Budget	\$ 12,350.00
Expenditures	10,913.47
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	\$ 1,436.53

Supplies and Materials**400 Account**

Appropriation - Budget	\$ 4,400.00
Expenditures	4,149.79
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	\$ 250.21

Classified Statement of Expenditures
Salaries and Wages Account

Administration

Office

Director of Recreation	\$ 36,372.32
Asst. Director of Recreation	30,365.58
Head Clerk	19,587.12
Clerk Typist-emergency	2,379.75
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	\$ 88,704.77

Senior Citizens

Recreation Leader (Golden Age)	\$ 24,117.13
Custodian (Hazelwood)	2,004.60
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	\$ 26,121.73

Special Needs Program

Recreation Supervisor	\$ 21,862.71
Recreation Leader (Athletics)	16,912.56
Recreation Leader	15,361.80
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	\$ 54,137.07

Beaches - Seasonal

Supervisor of Water Activities	\$ 3,209.07
Lifeguards (6)	15,811.64
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	\$ 19,020.71

Youth Activities

Spring Basketball Referees	\$ 1,270.00
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Classified Statement of Expenditures

Salaries and Wages Account

Longevity

Administration	\$ 1,575.00
Senior Citizens Center	350.00
Special Needs Program	500.00
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	\$ 2,425.00

Sick Leave Incentive

Administration	\$ 750.00
Senior Citizens Center	300.00
Special Needs Program	600.00
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	\$ 1,650.00

S U M M A R Y

Office	\$ 88,704.77
Senior Citizens Center	26,121.73
Special Needs Program	54,137.07
Longevity	2,425.00
Sick Leave Incentive	1,650.00
Seasonal - Beaches	19,020.71
Youth Activities	1,270.00
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	\$ 193,329.28

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Classified Statement of Expenditures

Charges and Services

200 Account

211	Electricity	\$ 3,417.30
212	Natural Gas	3,653.41
213	Oil for Heat	1,237.36
241	R & M Vehicles & Building	32.80
249	R & M Office Equipment	191.10
301	Hospital & Medical	45.00
343	Printing	454.40
350	Civic Functions	1,484.77
386	Uniforms - Cleaning services	14,85
710	In-State Travel	262.48
730	Dues, Subscriptions & membership	120.00
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		\$ 10,913.47

Supplies and Materials

400 Account

424	Photocopier Supplies	\$ 140.31
425	Sundry Office Supplies	761.29
449	Building Maintenance	279.26
450	Janitorial Supplies	597.32
582	Recreation Supplies	2,184.51
584	Clothing Supplies	162.10
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		\$ 4,124.79

ANNUAL REPORT

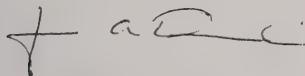
Director of Recreation/Parks, submitting
Annual Report
For The Fiscal Year Ending
June 30, 1992.

IN CITY COUNCIL, March 11, 1993

Received and ordered printed in City Documents.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

Attest:



City Clerk

45TH ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
AIRPORT MANAGER
OF THE
NEW BEDFORD MUNICIPAL AIRPORT



FOR THE PERIOD JULY 1, 1991
TO THE YEAR ENDING
JUNE 30, 1992

NEW BEDFORD

MASSACHUSETTS

MUNICIPAL AIRPORT

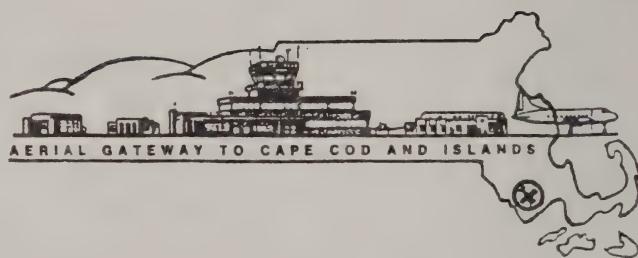
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ISIDORE EISNER

AIRPORT MANAGER



NEW BEDFORD MUNICIPAL AIRPORT

To the Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council
of the City of New Bedford.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

There is enclosed the Annual Report of the Airport Manager
for the period July 1, 1991 for the Fiscal Year ending June
30, 1992.

Respectfully submitted,

Isidore Eisner

Airport Manager and
Commission Clerk
7/1/91-6/30/92

NEW BEDFORD MUNICIPAL AIRPORT
AIRPORT COMMISSION

NAME	TERM EXPIRES
WILLIAM WHELAN	Dec. 31, 1991
LUIS RODRIQUEZ	Dec. 31, 1991
JOHN P. CALLAGHAN	Dec. 31, 1991
ROBERT TWEEDIE	Dec. 31, 1992
THEODORE MARMARAS	Dec. 31, 1992
CHRISTOPHER KEARLEY	Dec. 31, 1992
VITO MORRA	Dec. 31, 1993
JOSEPH MARSHALL	RESIGNED
MICHAEL RUSSELL	Dec. 31, 1993
CELESTINO D. MACHADO	APPOINTED 7/16/92 July 16, 1993

CHAIRPERSONS:

VITO MORRA	-	CHAIRMAN	June 30, 1992
ROBERT TWEEDIE	-	VICE CHAIRMAN	June 30, 1992
AIR INDUSTRIAL PARK - LEASING			
WILLIAM WHELAN	-	CHAIRMAN	
JOHN P. CALLAGHAN	-	VICE CHAIRMAN	
SECURITY-SAFETY			
ROBERT TWEEDIE	-	CHAIRMAN	
MICHAEL RUSSELL	-	VICE CHAIRMAN	
PERSONNEL & BY LAWS			
JOHN P. CALLAGHAN	-	CHAIRMAN	
ROBERT TWEEDIE	-	VICE CHAIRMAN	
BUDGET COMMITTEE			
JOSEPH MARSHALL	-	CHAIRMAN	
WILLIAM WHELAN	-	VICE CHAIRMAN	
SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON PARKING			
THEODORE MARMARAS	-	CHAIRMAN	
LUIS RODRIQUEZ	-	VICE CHAIRMAN	

THE NEW BEDFORD AIRPORT COMMISSION

To the Honorable Members:

The 45th year of Airport operations did not fare well at all. The falling economy played havoc with Aircraft ownership and operations. Similarly passenger enplanements fell to a low, causing financial concern. The ATC is slated for a very substancial rehab in 1992 - 1993.

The installation of a bright radar is still pending and we look forward to an upward swing in the economy.

1974.....	87,768
1975.....	87,009
1976.....	85,288
1977.....	94,161
1978.....	96,238
1979.....	85,737
1980.....	76,612
1981.....	35,912
	(7mo. activity ATC closed Closed for all of 1982)
1982.....	00,000
1983.....	93,132
1984.....	112,560
1985.....	99,709
1986.....	111,352
1987.....	132,028
1988.....	145,903
1989.....	151,857
1990.....	141,010
1991.....	75,812
1992.....	1/1/-8/31/92..56,151

MUNICIPAL AIRPORT
HISTORY OF ENPLANEMENTS

We are listed as a Primary Service Airport. Enplanements for 1991 are as follows:

CLASSIC	YEAR	ANE	SEA	ISLAND	PBA	GULL	EXPRESS	SPECTRUM	NOR EAST	EDGARTOWN	EAST	TOTALS
					AIR	AIR	AIR	AIRWAYS	FLIGHT	AIR	HAMPTON	
												9,316
												6,676
1975		9,316										1,747
1976		6,676										3,617
1977		8,094										4,217
1978		7,020										3,502
1979		2,115										
1980		1,863										
1981	645	285				14,013						896
1982						38,232	1,307					
1983		1,311				43,823	1,958					
1984		3,031				43,602	4,576					
1985		8,232				35,743	4,891					
1986						33,334	13,891	1,155				
1987						37,878	720	2,530				
1988						23,531	4,007	6,250	1,144	3,045	3,402	
1989						14,720	0,092	1,674	3,142		28,169	
1990						561						
1991						12,841	137	1,864	6,735			
1992						10,679						7,046
												9,799

JULY 1, 1991 - JUNE 30, 1992

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NEW BEDFORD MUNICIPAL AIRPORT

PROJECTED INCOME

	MONTH June 1992	PREVIOUS MONTH	TOTAL
Rent of Rooms	2,325.25	29,137.80	31,463.05
Rent of Bldg	735.53	2,820.53	3,556.06
Rent of New Rooms	0	1,312.00	1,312.00
Rent of Rooms & Counter	1,268.00	15,886.00	17,154.00
Rent of Signs & Wall Space	90.00	3,310.00	3,400.00
Lease of Land	0	29,181.07	29,181.00
Rent of Land	7,292.50	111,336.89	118,629.39
Sale of fuel & oil	887.39	13,215.37	14,102.76
Emplanements	1,330.20	14,806.60	16,136.80
Phones	130.75	1,327.85	1,458.60
Sale of Parts	21.81	244.54	266.35
Rent of Counter	1,497.96	9,540.62	11,038.58
Cash for Airport Parking	85.00	1,204.46	1,289.46
User Fees	138.00	1,518.00	1,656.00
Operations	0	900.00	900.00
Misc.	65.00	2,691.81	2,756.81
Landing Fees	192.50	1,739.90	1,932.40
Algonquin Gas	0	18,750.00	18,750.00
TOTAL:	16,059.89	258,923.44	274,983.33

NEW BEDFORD MUNICIPAL AIRPORT

EXPENSE REPORT
100 ACCOUNT SALARIES & WAGES

Month	Expended to Date	Allowed Budget:	Transferred	Balanc. in Account
June 1992				
\$16,809.75	\$225,963.77	\$224,061.00	0	-1,902.77
\$ 347.74	\$ 4,034.73	0	0	-4,034.73
-----	\$ 1,550.00	\$ 1,600.00	0	50.00
-----	\$ 1,650.00	0	0	- 150.00
\$17,157.49	\$233,198.50	\$227,161.00	0	-6,037.50

110 Permanent Positions

130 Regular Overtime

150 Longevity

150 Sick Incentive

TOTAL:

New Bedford Municipal Airport

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Expense Report

200 Account Charges & Services
Month Expended to date Allowed Budget Balance In Account

211 Electricity	3,581.54	26,956.73	24,000.00	-2,956.73
213 Oil for Heat	0	9,302.14	7,000.00	-2,302.14
241 Repair & Maint. Veh. & Bldg.	1,010.99	10,748.21	11,000.00	251.79
259 Repair & Maint. Misc.	18.50	472.27	200.00	- 272.27
290 Pest Control	0	0	350.00	350.00
301 Hospital & Medical	0	366.03	5,350.00	4,983.97
302 Accounting & Auditing	0	52.00	750.00	698.00
341 Telephone, Telegraph, Telev.	0	720.85	350.00	- 370.85
343 Printing	0	267.01	150.00	- 117.01
347 Photocopies	0	51.46	50.00	- 1.46
710 In State Travel	0	39.20	150.00	110.80
730 Dues, Subscription, Mem.	0	1,245.00	150.00	-1095.00
742 Insurance	0	961.80	300.00	-661.80
791 Government Meetings	0	0	750.00	750.00
276 Rental/Lease	404.80	1,616.30	1,400.00	-216.30
309 Public Safety	0	3,107.00	0	-3,107.00
313 Employee Training	0	1,500.00	0	-1,500.00
346 Advertising	674.98	674.98	0	- 674.98
386 Uniform Cleaning	24.25	24.25	0	- 24.25
760 Legal Services	0	534.00	0	- 534.00
TOTAL:	5,715.06	58,639.23	51,950.00	-6,689.23

New Bedford Municipal Airport

Expense Report

400 Account Supplies & Material

Month

	June 1992	Expended to date	Allowed Budget	Trans- ferred	Balance in Account
424 Photo Copier Supplies	0	791.01	100.00	0	- 691.01
425 Sundry Office Supplies	24.40	468.41	500.00	0	31.59
449 Repair/ Maintenance Supplies	0	3,506.58	500.00	0	-3,006.58
450 Janitorial Supplies	97.91	1,492.58	1,300.00	0	- 192.58
479 Misc. Groundkeeping	0	213.46	250.00	0	36.54
481 Vehicle Supplies- Gasoline	0	2,319.08	4,000.00	0	1,680.92
486 Vehicle Supplies Miscellaneous	30.00	2,569.60	3,000.00	0	430.34
500 Medical Supplies	0	0	100.00	0	100.00
530 Public Safety Supplies	0	299.58	150.00	0	- 149.58
533 Sand And Gravel	0	117.00	150.00	0	33.00
534 Lighting Supplies	0	1,685.33	1,500.00	0	- 185.33
535 Road Maintenance Supplies	0	728.2	750.00	0	21.75
580 Not Otherwise Classified	0	135.49	100.00	0	- 35.49
584 Uniforms and Clothing	0	0	3,250.00	0	3,250.00
TOTAL:	154.31	14,326.43	15,650.00	0	1,323.57

NEW BEDFORD MUNICIPAL AIRPORT

EXPENSE REPORT

800 ACCOUNT CAPITAL OUTLAY

820 Building & Structures

June 1992 MONTH	EXPENDED TO DATE	ALLOWED BUDGET	TRANS- FERRED	BALANCE IN ACCOUNT
0	0	10,000.00	0	10,000.00
Total:	0	10,000.00	0	10,000.00

801 ACCOUNT ENCUMBRANCE/CAPITAL OUTLAY

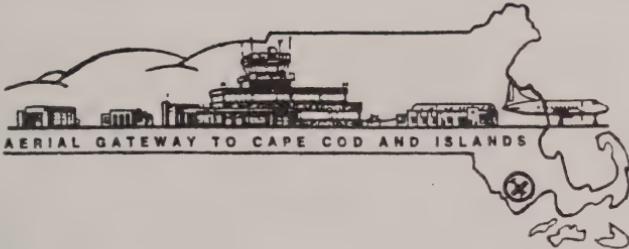
MONTH	EXPENDED TO DATE	ALLOWED BUDGET	TRANS- FERRED	BALANCE IN ACCOUNT
27,331.32	0	0	104,869.00	77,537.68
Total:	27,331.32	0	104,869.00	77,537.68

NEW BEDFORD

MASSACHUSETTS
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ISIDORE EISNER
AIRPORT MANAGER



MANAGER'S REPORT

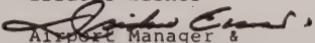
I have served as the Airport Manager since 4/10/73. During that period, there has been an infusion of funds totalling an excess of \$4,000,000.00 from the Federal Aviation Administration and \$275,000.00 from the Mass. Aeronautical Commission. There have been many improvements to date with more to come. The Air Traffic Control tower is about to be rehabilitated making it as modern as possible. Wooded obstructions are about to be cut returning the Airport limits to their former status permitting Aircraft to land with ever increasing safety. The Airport lighting signs will shortly be modernized in accordance with a nationwide plan.

The Restaurant is under new ownership; new leases have been written for Avis, Airnet and Cape Air ensuring continued operation.

There is every indication of continued growth.

Respectfully,

Isidore Eisner


Airport Manager &
Clerk to the Commission
7/1/91-6/30/92

The Airport is governed by nine members as prescribed by law. The Commissioners are appointed by the Mayor for a three year term rotating so that three Commissioners are appointed yearly. In May of each calendar year they elect a Chairman and Vice Chairman. The Airport Manager serves at the will of the Commission. The Manager is also elected to serve as the secretary to the Commission. The annual budget provides for the salaries, wages and needs for the operation of the Airport. The Airport Improvement Program (AIP) is made available by the Federal Aviation Administration who upon approval of the request provide funding. The Federal Aviation Administration provides 90 percent of the costs with the City and the MAC providing the balance of 10 percent, 5 percent each. We are, by law, entitled to \$300,000.00 yearly. However, our needs are such as to enable us to obtain additional discretionary funding. Both the Massachusetts Aeronautics Commission and the Federal Aviation Administration are invaluable to the well being of the Airport and they serve as excellent advisors so that we are able to perform and maintain the high standards required of us.

We frequently call upon other City Departments for aid and we are indebted for their aid. Our sincere thanks.

We are particularly indebted to all the members of the City Council for without their advice and approval we could not proceed.

We are in constant need of the Mayor and his very capable staff for without their guidance we would never succeed.

The Airport enjoys a very high rating and we intend to maintain that rating. We have a fine crew of personnel and it is they who maintain and retain our rating.

We now have a new modern ARFF unit capable of meeting all our needs.

We are exerting every effort to become self sustaining and are well on the way.

The Airport Manager has served for over 18 years. He has advised the Commission that he intends to leave by approximately 8/31/92. A search is under way for a replacement which has proven successful.

Isidore Eisner


Isidore Eisner
Airport Manager
7/1/91-6/30/92

ANNUAL REPORT

Airport Manager, submitting 45th Annual Report of
the New Bedford Municipal Airport for the period of
July 1, 1991, through June 30, 1992.

IN CITY COUNCIL,
October 8, 1992

Received and ordered printed in City Documents.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

a true copy, attest

J. A. Davidian
City Clerk

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
COMMISSIONER AND
INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS
OF THE
CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
MASSACHUSETTS



JULY 1, 1991 - JUNE 3, 1992

COMMISSIONER & INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS

ANNUAL REPORT

Building Department submitting annual report for the fiscal year July 1, 1991 through June 30, 1992.

**ANNUAL REPORT
1991 - 1992**

In accordance with Chapter 5, Section 3-5111 of the city code of the City of New Bedford, I hereby submit a report of the activities of the Commissioner of Buildings for the period of July 1, 1991 to June 30, 1992.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT

There were Nineteen Hundred and Sixty (1960) Building Permits issued in the period of July 1, 1991 to June 30, 1992, amounting to Forty Eight Million One Hundred Thirteen Thousand Seven Hundred and Forty Five Dollars. (\$48,113,745.00)

Total Fees collected for the Building Permits amounted to Ninety Six Thousand Three Hundred Forty Dollars and Forty Eight Cents. (\$96,340.48)

Total Fees collected for Inspections of Places of Assembly amounted to Fifty Three Thousand Three Hundred Sixteen Dollars and No Cents. (\$53,316.00)

There were Two Thousand Two Hundred Ninety Plumbing and Gas Permits (2,290) permits issued in the period of July 1, 1991 to June 30, 1992 amounting to fifty Thousand Seven Hundred Forty One Dollars and No Cents (\$50,741.00)

COMMISSIONER & INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS

**COMPARATIVE SUMMARY OF CONSTRUCTION
FOR THE LAST FIVE (5) YEARS**

YEAR	NO. OF PERMITS	ESTIMATED COST
1986-87	1576	44,062,809.00
1987-88	1409	63,984,871.00
1988-89	1424	35,424,624.00
1989-90	1636	28,413,898.00
1990-91	2012	23,335,015.00
1991-92	1960	48,113,745.00

SUMMARY OF BUILDING PERMITS

JULY 1, 1991 - JUNE 30, 1992

NEW COMSTRUCTION	PERMIT	ESTIMATED COST
Dwellings (1 family)	36	\$ 1,947,844.00
(2 family)	3	248,000.00
Stores, Business, & Mfg.	26	25,739,800.00
Swimming Pools	63	226,345.00
Garages & Accessory Structures	92	250,654.00
Gas Stations, Hospitals, Churches		
Institutions	5	85,830.00
	225	\$28,498,473.00

ALTERATIONS & ADDITIONS

Dwellings	1493	5,907,595.00
Stores, Business, & Mfg.	109	5,249,879.26
Churches, Schools, Hospitals &		
Institutions	17	7,172,836.00
Heating	16	12,036.00
Miscellaneous	71	111,426.00
City Of New Bedford	1	107,500.00
Pump Station Repairs	3	1,054,000.00
	1710	\$19,613,272.26
NEW CONSTRUCTION	225	\$28,498,473.00
ALTERATIONS & ADDITIONS	1710	\$19,613,272.26
DEMOLITIONS	25	
	1960	\$48,113,745.26

COMMISSIONER & INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS

Places of Assembly must be inspected according to Chapter 143 of the General Laws, as amended, and the Massachusetts State Building Code, before a license for their use can be obtained. This includes every building or part thereof, used as a place for public assembly as categorized below.

All Rooming Houses and Multiple Dwellings must be inspected. Also, inspections were made on Lodging Houses, Convalescent Homes, Hospitals, Rest Homes, Day Care Centers and Halfway Houses including Alcoholic Rehabilitation Centers.

The following Places of Assembly were checked and issued Certifications during 1991-1992.

Cafes	27
Taverns	16
Restaurants	150
Clubs	36
Halls	25
Funeral Homes	14
Amusement/Flea Markets	1
Mercantile	73
Multi-family dwellings	243
Laundromats	21
Rooming & Lodging Houses	44
Hospital & Nursing Homes	16
Child Care	23
Schools	20
Church Bingo Halls	27
Banks	1
Office Buildings	21
Theaters & Museums	3
Recreation & Gyms	12
Factory & Industrial Buildings	3
Auto Body	25
Beauty Salons	8
TOTAL	809

**TWELVE (12) MONTH'S REPORT OF THE
PLUMBING INSPECTIONS
July 1, 1991 - June 30, 1992
Number of Fixtures Installed**

Water Closets	573	Ranges	730
Kitchen Sinks	346	Ovens	12
Lavatories	606	Heating Boilers	227
Bath Tubs	313	Unit Heaters	41
Shower Stalls	87	Space Heaters	355
Dishwashers	55	Incinerators	0
Disposers	9	Dryers	185
Laundry Trays	32	Unit Burners	0
Washing Machine Connection	115	Outdoor Cook Units	0
Storage Systems	561	Appliances	0
Tankless Heaters	8	Fryolaters	24
Slop Sinks	22	Lamps	0
Floor Drains	81	Furnaces	110
M.D.C. Gas Traps	3	Laundry Stoves	0
Urinals	6	Hot Plates	4
Drinking Fountains	3	Refrigerators	0
Area Drains	3	No Vent Heaters	0
Sewer Connections	31	Sealed Combustion	0
Bidets	17	Fuel Line Tests	369
Other Fixtures	192	Miscellaneous	83
Gas Conversion	108	Automatic Damper	86
New Fuel Line	56	Roof Top Units	22
Grills	2		

Plumbing & Gas Inspections	3396
Inspection of Domestic Hot Water Heating Devices	749
Investigation of Complaints	182

COMMISSIONER AND INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS

FINANCIAL STATEMENT
BUILDING MAINTENANCE
JULY 1, 1991 - JUNE 30, 1992

APPROPRIATIONS:

Salaries & Wages	\$123,267.00
General Expense	
200 Account	\$265,124.00
400 Account	534.00
TOTAL	\$388,925.00

EXPENDITURES

100 Salaries & Wages	\$124,116.37
TOTAL 100	\$124,116.37

200 Charges & Services	
211 Electricity	\$162,299.77
212 Natural Gas	23,568.95
213 Oil for Heat	82,985.66
241 R&M Vehicle & Grounds	33,582.93
259 R&M Miscellaneous	252.00
301 Hospital & Medical	777.34
310 Engineering Services	510.00
347 Photocopies	30.00
380 Not Otherwise Classified	411.56
794 Licenses	250.00
TOTAL 200	\$304,668.21

400 Charges & Services	
449 Building Maintenance Supplies	522.02
TOTAL 400	522.02

TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$429,306.60
CREDIT MISC REVENUES	-33,384.31
TOTAL BUILDING MAINTENANCE	\$395,922.29

ENCUMBERED BALANCE	\$ 75,357.18
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The Building Maintenance Craftsmen and Plumber were responsible for emergency and routine repairs and renovations to all City-owned buildings. Also, many labor hours of the personnel of the Inspector of Buildings and Maintenance Departments were expended on various Community Development projects throughout the City of New Bedford.

COMMISSIONER AND INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS

FINANCIAL STATEMENT
INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS
JULY 1, 1991 - JUNE 30, 1992

APPROPRIATIONS:

Salaries & Wages	\$320,091.00
General Expense	
200 Account	15,350.00
400 Account	3,500.00
TOTAL	\$338,941.00

EXPENDITURES

100 Salaries & Wages	\$318,587.87
TOTAL 100	\$318,587.87
200 Charges & Services	
301 Hospital & Medical	9,507.41
343 Printing	2,326.20
347 Photocopies	1,675.08
380 Not Otherwise Classified	2,340.00
730 Dues, Subscriptions & Memberships	689.00
TOTAL 200	* 16,537.69
400 Supplies & Materials	
425 Sundry Office Supplies	3,555.37
TOTAL 400	* 3,555.37
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$338,680.93
CREDIT MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES	- \$304,698.09
TOTAL INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS	* 33,982.84

COMMISSIONER AND INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS

FINANCIAL STATEMENT
CUSTODIAL SERVICES
JULY 1, 1991 - JUNE 30, 1992

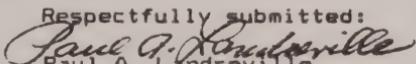
APPROPRIATIONS:

Salaries & Wages	\$286,644.00
General Expense	
200 Account	640.00
400 Account	13,650.00
TOTAL	\$300,934.00

EXPENDITURES

100 Salaries & Wages	\$244,971.35
TOTAL 100	\$244,971.35
200 Charges & Services	
301 Hospital & Medical	1,874.96
794 Licenses ,	120.00
TOTAL 200	\$1,994.96
400 Charges & Services	
450 Janitorial Supplies	13,219.01
TOTAL 400	\$13,219.01
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$260,185.32
CREDIT MISC REVENUES	-16.80
TOTAL CUSTODIAL BALANCE	\$260,168.52

The assistance the Building Department received from her honor, The Mayor, members of the City Council, Department Heads and associated individuals, and our own Department personnel in the performance of our many duties is acknowledged and appreciated.

Respectfully submitted:

 Paul A. Landreville
 Commissioner & Inspector
 of Buildings

**ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
CITY CLERK
OF THE
CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
MASSACHUSETTS**



**FOR THE YEAR 1992
INCLUDING FISCAL PERIOD
JULY 1, 1991 — JUNE 30, 1992**

NEW BEDFORD CITY COUNCILLORS
1992-1993

STANDING: Ward 5 Councillor Kenneth M. Ferreira; Ward 6 Councillor Mark Zajac; Councillors at Large John T. Saunders, Brian K. Gomes, Thomas M. Hodson, George Rogers.
SEATED: Ward 1 Councillor David Gerwatowski; Ward 4 Councillor Mary S. Barros; Ward 2 Councillor Frederick M. Kalisz, Jr.; Ward 3 Councillor Cynthia G. Kruger; Councillor at Large David Alves.



ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CITY CLERK

To the City Council:

I herewith submit a report of the activities of this office for the year beginning July 1, 1991, and ending June 30, 1992, wherein is included a financial summary, vital statistics data and highlights of City Council matters.

RECEIPTS FOR LICENSES

	NO. ISSUED	TOTAL
Amusement Center	9	\$2,250.00
Auctioneer, Special	7	105.00
Awning	0	0.00
Billiards	3	960.00
Bowling Alley	1	615.00
Carnival	7	80.00
Constable	35	1,750.00
Dance	49	490.00
Fruit & Vegetable Peddler	1	20.00
Junk Dealer	22	1,550.00
Livery License	12	300.00
Public Entertainment	21	210.00
Public Vehicle	74	1,850.00
Quahog (dredging)	1	300.00
Quahog (clean waters)	44	10,200.00
Roller Skating Rink License	1	25.00
Sound Truck	3	27.00
Special Police	15	305.00
Special Police Badge	5	125.00
Sunday Sports	1	1.00
Taxi Driver	142	2,840.00
Taxi Driver Badge	103	515.00
Taxi Driver Badge Replacement	15	75.00
Theatre	6	300.00
 TOTAL		 \$24,893.00

CITY CLERK'S REPORT

FEES

	NO. ISSUED	TOTAL
Abstract Copies	6430	25,920.00
Board of Survey Abutter Fees	6	6.00
Board of Survey Ad Costs	2	90.00
Board of Survey Filing Fees	6	300.00
Board of Survey Plans - Form A	42	2,170.00
Building Moving Permits	3	600.00
Business Certificates	324	6,480.00
Changes of Address	7	70.00
Discontinuances	24	240.00
Cemetery Lot Certificates	224	2,240.00
Certifications of maps, etc.	24	41.00
Certified Copies-Vital Statistics	12842	81,063.00
Geneology Copies	469	4,690.00
Public Records	1193	3,369.00
City Codes and Supplements	57	1,925.00
Copies of Subdivision Rules/Regs	5	50.00
Zoniny by-laws	69	1,035.00
Zoning map amendment	1	2.00
Depositions	64	1,435.00
Dog Tag Duplicates	12	6.00
Dog Transfers	1	.25
Duplicate Marriage Licenses	1	1.00
Financing Statements	611	6,110.00
Amendments	35	350.00
Assignments	27	270.00
Continuations	114	1,140.00
Partial Releases	13	140.00
Subordinations	2	20.00
Terminations	165	875.00
Withdrawals	2	20.00
Franchise Fee - Cable TV	1	14,600.00
Hearing Costs	2	142.00
Indemnity Agreements	18	180.00
License Holders	181	90.50
Marriage Intentions	758	17,115.00
Non-Criminal Violations	3	75.00
Petroleum Registrations	487	21,111.00
Photostatic Copies	958	197.10
Pole Location Orders	75	5,877.50
Postage	55	122.05
Raffle and Bazaar Permits	53	530.00
Reimbursements on Hawkers/Peddlers	3	400.00

CITY CLERK'S REPORT

Searches of Records	139	1,120.00
Sign Permits	15	150.00
Street Disturbance Permits	755	7,555.00
Street Obstruction Permits	353	3,725.00
Sunday Entertainment Licenses	54	7,540.00
Tax Lien, Releases	4	12.00
Transfers	11	67.00
Transient Vendors	3	150.00
Recording State Licenses	3	3.00
Waterways License	1	7.00
Writs of Attachment	10	52.00
Zoning Change Petition	1	200.00
TOTAL		\$221,683.40

PAID TO COUNTY AND STATE

Paid to the City Treasurer for Bristol County for Dog Licenses	\$ 5,097.00
Paid to the State for Fish and Game Licenses	\$ 15,741.50

SUMMARY FOR YEAR 1991 - 1992

Licenses	\$ 24,893.00
Fees	221,683.40
Dog Licenses	5,097.00
Fish and Game Licenses	15,741.50
TOTAL	\$267,414.90

TABLE OF RECEIPTS FOR LAST TEN YEARS

1982 - 1983	\$176,322.63
1983 - 1984	150,376.96
1984 - 1985	181,679.05
1985 - 1986	172,572.78
1986 - 1987	214,042.79
1987 - 1988	189,836.80
1988 - 1989	245,022.35
1989 - 1990	264,447.71
1990 - 1991	233,088.06
1991 - 1992	267,414.90

CITY CLERK'S REPORT

VITAL STATISTICS

Birth Information for the year 1992

Total number of births recorded in 1992	1999
Males	1045
Females	954
Total number of births recorded in 1991	2011
Decrease in births from 1991 to 1992	12
Twin births recorded	29
Triplet births recorded	0
Children born in New Bedford, residence of parents in New Bedford	1380
Males	738
Females	642
Children born in New Bedford, residence of parents elsewhere in Massachusetts	545
Children born in New Bedford, residence of parents out of State	6
Children born in New Bedford, residence of parents out of the United States	0
Children born at home	0
Children born zoning to hospital	0
Children born elsewhere in Massachusetts, residence of parents in New Bedford	68
Children born elsewhere in United States, residence of parents in New Bedford	0
Children born out of the United States, residence of parents in New Bedford	0

CITY CLERK'S REPORT

Total number of impounded births in 1992	803
Impounded births - born in New Bedford, residence of parents in New Bedford	658
Impounded births - born in New Bedford, residence of parents elsewhere in Massachusetts	132
Impounded births - born in New Bedford, residence of parents out of the State	1
Impounded births - born elsewhere in Massachusetts, residence of parents in New Bedford	12

MARRIAGE DATA - 1992

Marriage Intentions - 1991	734
Marriage Intentions - 1991	778
Increase	<u>44</u>
Marriages - 1991	701
Marriages - 1992	752
Increase	<u>51</u>
Marriages of out-of-state residents, both parties - decrease of 4	28
Number of three day waivers (increase of 3)	40
Number of males under 18 (increase of 1)	3
Number of females under 18 (decrease of 5)	13
Youngest person married - female age 15	
Oldest person married - male age 76	

CITY CLERK'S REPORT

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DEATH DATA - 1992

Total Number of Deaths 1551

Males	762
Females	789

New Bedford residents who died in other Massachusetts cities/towns	146*
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Deaths in New Bedford of out-of-town residents	380*
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*Included in above total

Statistics:

Under the age of 5	13
5 - 10	2
11 - 20	7
21 - 30	32
31 - 40	55
41 - 50	63
51 - 60	87
61 - 70	270
71 - 80	472
81 - 90	381
Over the age of 90	161
Over the age of 100	8
Age unknown	none

Born in Massachusetts	1056
Born in other parts of the United States	157
Born in Canada	38
Born in England	24
Born in Portugal	196
Born in Cape Verde Islands	16
Other foreign born	59
Birthplace unknown	5

Causes of Death:

Cancer	293
Heart	625
AIDS	38
Other	595

Oldest deceased: Male 97 Female 102

There were 132 deaths determined by the Medical Examiner. Of these, 4 were homicides, 15 were suicides, 20 involved motor vehicles, and 12 were drug overdoses.

CITY CLERK'S REPORT

CITY COUNCIL 1992

At the Organization Meeting held on January 6, 1992, Frederick M. Kalissz, Jr., Councillor Ward Two, was elected President of the New Bedford City Council for the ensuing year.

In 1992 there were twenty-one (21) regularly scheduled meetings of the City Council and five (5) Special City Council meetings as follows:

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|----------------------|--|
| 1. June 10, 1992 | For the purpose of submitting the budget for the fiscal year 1993. |
| 2. June 29, 1993 | To act on the fiscal year 1993 budget. |
| 3. July 23, 1993 | For the purposes of: acting on the sewer rates and charges and the Wastewater Budget for FY93; to promulgate rules and regulations for a Special Permit for Adult Bookstores and Adult Motion Picture Theaters; and to seek support for legislation to help fishermen and fishing boat owners. |
| 4. November 30, 1992 | For the purpose of acting on financial transfers. |
| 5. December 8, 1992 | For the purpose of holding a hearing on tax classification. |

Also, on September 24, 1992, the City Council dedicated the Council's Ante-Chamber to the memory of William Saltzman, a City Councillor for more than twenty years who died in July of 1987 as a result of injuries sustained in an automobile accident that occurred while he was driving home from a Council committee meeting. A picture of "Willy" and a plaque noting the dedication are now hanging in the COUNCILLOR WILLIAM SALTZMAN ANTE-CHAMBER

CITY CLERK'S REPORT

The City Council addressed many difficult issues during 1992. One controversial matter discussed at great length was a proposed needle exchange program. New Bedford had been suggested as a trial location for the free exchange of needles to reduce the spread of the AIDS virus among drug addicts. Some councillors felt that this would greatly reduce the serious increase of AIDS cases in New Bedford, especially among women and children, and that the exchange was a necessary and compassionate action; others felt that singling out New Bedford would promote a migration of drug addicts into the City and result in additional crime and drug activities.

The City Council also continued to deal with its proposed Secondary Sewage Treatment Plant and the expected increases in sewer and water rates.

Another issue of great magnitude was the insistence of the United States Environmental Protection Agency to build a hazardous waste incinerator at the foot of Sawyer Street, a former soccer field which the Bullard Administration had authorized for this use. The City Council is unanimously opposed to such use, not only because incineration of PCBs causes emissions which are believed to be hazardous or that the area is very densely populated, but because there is a process which could be used which is safer and cheaper - The ECO LOGIC Process.

On a positive note, the Combined Sewer Overflows into Clark's Cove has diminished to such a degree that the City Council opened the Cove for shellfishing in 1992 for the first time in more than a quarter of a century.

BOARD OF SURVEY

The Board of Survey held five (5) meetings in 1992, as the still poor housing market discourages many developers from submitting subdivisions.

CITY CLERK'S REPORT

GENERAL

The Office of the City Clerk and the City Council continued to be very busy. The City Clerk staff: Assistant City Clerk Claire Lemos, and Clerks Dorothy Sylvia, Rita Arruda, Maria Brilhante, Vivian Page and Linda Sweeney; and the City Council staff: Assistant Council Clerk and Secretary to the City Clerk Janice Costa; Sharon Teixeira (now Thomas, as Sharon was married in the summer of '92), City Council Secretary; and Donna Britto, Assistant City Council Secretary, worked efficiently and well and I greatly appreciate their help and hard work.

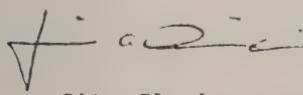
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ANNUAL REPORT

**City Clerk, submitting Annual Report for
Fiscal Year 1992.**

**IN CITY COUNCIL, August 19, 1993
Received and ordered printed in City Documents.
Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk**

Attest:



City Clerk

**ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
CITY SOLICITOR
OF THE
CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
MASSACHUSETTS**



**FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 1991
AND THE FISCAL YEAR 1991 - 1992**

**Armand Fernandes, Jr.
(8/11/86 - 1/6/92)
Arthur J. Caron, Jr.
City Solicitor**

**Richard J. Moore
First Asst. City Solicitor**

**Arthur J. Caron, Jr.
(7/17/87 - 1/6/92)
Peter J. Thomas
Patrick T. Walsh
Assistant City Solicitors**



City of New Bedford, Massachusetts

OFFICE OF THE CITY SOLICITOR

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Assistant City Solicitor

PETER J. THOMAS

Assistant City Solicitor

August 21, 1992

To the Honorable
The City Council
Municipal Building
New Bedford, MA 02740

Members of the City Council:

In accordance with the provisions of Section 2-87 of the City Code, I submit the following report on the activities of the City Solicitor's Office for the calendar year 1991 and the Fiscal Year July 1, 1991 - June 30, 1992.

During the calendar year 1991:

9 legal opinions were rendered to the Mayor, City Council, and various department heads. In addition to the foregoing written opinions, the attorneys in this office provided City officials and department heads with legal advice on countless problems which arose in ordinary course of business during the year.

225 claims for personal injuries and property damage were filed against the City during the year 1991. The major portion of these claims were due to defective streets and sidewalks and automobile collisions involving City-owned vehicles.

164 contracts were submitted to this office for review and approval as to legality and form.

\$81,179.54 was collected through the efforts of this office on accounts due the City for property damage and for work performed and services rendered by various departments. Much of this was the result of negotiated settlements with insurance companies and small claims actions brought by this office on behalf of the City.

584 Industrial Accident claims were filed and processed under the Workers' Compensation Law.

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Numerous legal documents were prepared by this office such as deeds, leases, easements, contracts, demolition liens, ordinances, City Council orders for land takings, street layouts, and street discontinuances.

During the Fiscal Year July 1, 1991 - June 30, 1992.

96 claims were honored and paid in the total sum of \$83,131.39.

15 claims in which suit was instituted against the City were resolved; the total amount of these settlements is \$159,542.06.

As of December 31, 1991, the following court cases in which the City is defendant were unsettled and pending in both State and Federal Courts.

45 Personal Injury and Property Damage cases.

6 Civil Rights Cases.

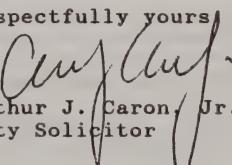
4 Board of Survey Cases.

21 Board of Appeals Cases.

58 Miscellaneous Cases.

As of December 31, 1991, 45 cases in which the City, its agents or employees is plaintiff, remained unsettled and pending further action. All but a very few of these cases are damage to City property.

Respectfully yours,


Arthur J. Caron, Jr.
City Solicitor

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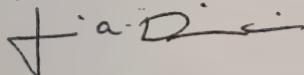
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and
Fiscal Year 1991 - 1992.**

IN CITY COUNCIL, September 10, 1992

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OF THE
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OF
FIRE DEPARTMENT
NEW BEDFORD, MASSACHUSETTS



FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1992

Henry A. Openshaw, Jr.,

Chief of Fire Department

ANNUAL REPORT

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for period of July 1, 1991-June 30, 1992

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FIRE DEPARTMENT

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To Rosemary S. Tierney - Honorable Mayor of the City of New Bedford

Dear Mayor Tierney:

I respectfully submit the Annual Report of the operations and functional status of the Fire Department for the year July 1, 1991 to June 30, 1992, together with the recommendations that I consider necessary for maintaining and increasing the efficiency of the Department.

The total alarms received for "Fires" and "Non-Fires" for the fiscal period July 1, 1991 to June 30, 1992.

SUMMARY OF ALARMS RECEIVED

Fires	952
No Fire Found	2,080
False Alarms	1,163
Out of City Responses	2
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	4,197

Of the above alarms, 2,077 originated as Still Alarms (telephone): and 897 box alarms were sent out by the Fire Alarm Branch. These included still alarms received and box alarms sent out after the still alarms. One second alarm occurred during the course of the year. There was no deaths by fire. Street box alarm responses consist of two engine companies and one ladder company. In some instances, fire alarm boxes which were chronic false alarm transmitters have been removed or relocated, reflecting a reduction in the false alarms received this year.

NEW BEDFORD FIRES FROM 1986 TO 1991:

YEAR	TOTAL FIRES	STRUC FIRES	VEH FIRES	OTHER FIRES	TOTAL ARSONS	STRUC ARSONS	VEH ARSONS	OTHER ARSONS
1986	1,071	284	279	508	141	34	53	54
1987	961	294	287	380	161	32	87	42
1988 Due to computer problems, no data is available.								
1989	988	352	309	327	148	42	72	34
1990	918	326	225	367	121	32	58	31
1991	952	303	217	432	113	42	49	22

RESIDENTIAL STRUCTURE FIRES:

Two hundred and twenty (220), or 72.6% of the 303 structure fires occurred in residential occupancies. The leading causes of these fires were: unattended cooking; arson; the careless use and disposal of smoking materials; exposure to other fires; and problems with dryers.

Smoke detectors were present and operated in only 38% of the residential structure fires in which the detector performance was known. No working detectors were present in the remaining 62% of these incidents.

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ARSON FIRES:

One hundred and thirteen (113), or 12%, of New Bedford's 952 fires, were considered incendiary or suspicious, or, for purposes of this analysis, arson. The 42 structure arsons, 49 motor vehicle arsons, and 22 outside and other arsons resulted in 1 civilian injury, 12 fire service injuries and an estimated dollar loss of \$865,125.

The total number of reported arson fires decreased by 8, or 7, from the 121 reported in 1990. The total number of structure arsons increased by 10, or 31%, from the 32 reported in 1990. Motor vehicle arson fires decreased by 9, or 16%, from the 58 reported in 1990. Outside and other arsons decreased by 9, or 29%, from the 31 reported in 1990.

MOTOR VEHICLE FIRES:

Total: 217

Automobiles: 183 (84.3%)

40 (21.9%) of the automobile fires attributed to arson

DETECTORS:

None present:	89 (40.5)
Present, but did not operate	29 (13.2%)
Present and Operated:	72 (32.7%)
Unknown:	30 (13.6%)

AREA OF ORIGIN	EQUIPMENT	FORM OF HEAT OF IGNITION	
Kitchen	36.4%	None	Heat/Gas Fueled Equip 20.9%
Bedroom	9.1%	Stovetop	Prop Op Elec Equip 9.5%
Exterior Wall	8.6%	Dryer	Cigarette 5.9%
Crawl Space	3.6%	Oven	Match 5.0%
Living Room	3.6%	Unknown	Unknown 27.8%

MATERIAL IGNITED

MATERIAL IGNITED	IGNITION FACTOR
Food, Cooking Materials	Unattended 24.1%
Exterior Wall	Arson 14.1%
Multiple	Abandoned Material 6.8%
Structural Member	Property Too Close 5.9%
Unknown	Unknown 20.9%

The Special Hazard Unit responded to 27 incidents in 1992 as follows:

Fire Incidents	11
Haz-Mat Incidents	16

As authorized by Section 19 of the Chapter 148, General Laws, I granted 2 permits for blasting.

The capable staff of District Fire Chiefs who are responsible for administrative and firefighting efficiency in their respective districts, in addition to a myriad of other duties related to the fire service, are to be congratulated for their unquestioned dedication and support to this office.

The Building Inspection program was continued under the direction of Lieutenant Theodore Mach. I wish to compliment our personnel in this phase of Fire Prevention. The diplomatic and efficient manner in which company personnel conducted those inspections is highly commendable. A total of 597 smoke detector inspections were made. Routine and special inspections have been conducted throughout the year of repair garages, paint spraying booths, tire rebuilding plants, junk yards, inspections of nursing homes, rest homes and hospitals. A continuing phase of this most important fire prevention measure also included every church in the City.

The Fire Alarm Division, our communications center, which services both telegraphic and radio transmission and reception continues to operate in a most efficient and progressive manner under the direction of Acting Assistant Superintendent of Fire Alarm, Mr. James Pedro.

At the present time, this Gamewell system is the oldest active system in the country. The maintenance which has been carried out throughout the last seventy years has kept the fire alarm system far above standards and still capable of expansion in the future.

The maintenance work is done by the Fire Alarm crew, which includes testing as follows:

- 5 - circuit operating board panels necessary to control and operate 25 closed box circuit boards;
- 1 - relay board for 6 fast time circuits;
- 4 - charging boards for 40 circuits and 1 protective board with 40 circuits;
- 5 - 5-circuit perforating registers;
- 2 - 6-circuit perforating registers for recording signals on the outgoing fast and slow time circuits;
- 10 - single circuit perforating registers for recording signals on the fast time circuit.

The recording and dating of all box alarms and transmissions to the fire stations over the tapper lines and the recording of all still alarms are done on the incident time stamp.

Other routine maintenance work, in addition to the maintenance and repair of 19 Civil Defense sirens, includes changeovers to new poles, ground testing, line inspection, tree trimming, painting, and all electrical work in fire stations.

At the close of June 1992, the number of Fire Alarm boxes throughout the City totalled 655; (290 are public boxes and 365 are private boxes); of the latter being the master type, having a total of 13,868 auxiliary devices such as wet and dry sprinkler systems, heat detectors, smoke detectors, pull stations, air handling units and Halon systems. Also, every auxiliary device was tested and approved. Approximately 30,000 feet of aerial line and associated equipment was installed to service these boxes. 14,000 feet of underground cable was replaced.

As in the past, assistance was given to the Wire Department relative to the installation of Christmas displays at the Common Park and the downtown area.

All fire alarm boxes and interior equipment connected to the Fire Alarm boxes are tested annually.

The Repair and Maintenance Division under Deputy Chief Roger Nadeau is charged with the upkeep and repair of all mobile units, many of which are specialized requiring service uncommon to most motor vehicles. The Repair Shop also maintains, repairs, and many times, fabricates the special equipment and accessories peculiar to firefighting.

Members of the division have attended diesel school in order to perform repairs which ordinarily would have to be done by outside concerns. This was necessitated due to the number of diesel apparatus now in service.

Two members of this department have attended a special shcool in reference to our aerial platform dealing with hydraulic systems and electronic controls.

Care of the ten buildings under the Fire Department jurisdiction requires that our repair division perform carpenter, plumbing and heating repairs, which otherwise would require the services of an outside contractor. Although Station 3 was closed down as an active station, it still remains under control of this Department.

Fire Prevention Bureau is headed by Lieutenant Ted Mach, four lieutenants, and one clerk. This Bureau is responsible for administering the fire prevention, fire protection and investigation phases of the New Bedford Fire Department.

Their duites embrace the entire field of prevention, fire protection and investigation including issuing of relative permits as required by law, inspections, fire prevention lectures, investigative work in relation to the suspicious fires and bringing out corrections of conditions which may be hazardous to life and property.

The Fire Prevention Program continues its good relationship with the Commonwealth and other municipal agencies in all matters pertaining to public safety. The Detective and Juvenile Control Divisions of the New Bedford Police Department are especially worthy of mention for their cooperation with us.

The members of the Fire Prevention Bureau, through attendance at refresher courses in Fire Prevention and Arson techniques, are able to keep astride of the most modern techniques in this field.

The Fire Prevention Bureau is grateful to the members of our Courts, Judges, Administration and their staff for their help and assistance in preparing cases. We are very fortunate that we have collected a considerable amount of money on false alarms, and have achieved some convictions. Without their help, this would not be possible.

We would also like to extend a thank you to the New England Telephone Annoyance Call Bureau for their assistance and cooperation in helping us to alleviate the false alarm problem.

Permits issued by the Division are as follows:

Oil burners	108
Liquefied Petroleum Gas Storage	15
Junk and Second Hand Sales	24
Miscellaneous	148
Dynamite and Blasting Permits	2
Supervised Fireworks Display	6
Total	303

Investigations:

Suspicious Automobile Fires	73
Complaints	160
Bomb Hoaxes	18
Oil Burner Fires	12
Smoke Detector Inspections	597
Warning Letters to Remedy Hazardous Conditions	175
Fires, Explosions, False Alarm Investigations	179

The Drill and Training Program is directed by Captain Raymond Coderre and assisted by Lieutenant Robert D. Gonsalves. Its function is to maintain efficiency in all phases of firefighting through classroom instruction and fireground training in the stations, training facilities at Station #5 and various other locations.

Captain Coderre and Lieutenant Gonsalves, through attendance at the Massachusetts Institute of Fire Department Instructors' monthly meetings, are able to keep astride of the most modern techniques of firefighters. Both these officers have undergone extensive training in radiological monitoring and are designated by our local Civil Defense as Radiological Officers for this Department. They also are to be commended for the excellent training in CPR and advanced first aid they have afforded not only to all fire department personnel, but also many civilian organizations.

Annual underwriter service tests for all pumping engines, first aid instruction and lectures to the military, Civil Defense and Industrial fire brigades are all a part of the duties of our Drillmaster.

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Refresher courses in radiological monitoring were given to all members of the Department. The various instruments employed in detection of radioactivity are provided by the Civil Defense Agency and are kept operational and in readiness at all fire stations throughout the City.

In replacing apparatus, my policy has been to convert to diesel powering with automatic transmissions. This not only cuts down the fuel consumption by 40%, but also cuts down on repair costs such as clutch work, transmission and differential repairs. It has also been my policy to change to traditional red. Because of the new sodium lamps being used, red proves to be more visible at night, thereby increasing safety to our firefighters and also the general public.

At the present time, six pieces of apparatus are now lime yellow and seven are powered by diesel engines.

Seventy-five percent of our active pieces of apparatus are now diesel-powered. The program to convert entirely to diesel power is still in effect.

At the present time, four pumping engines in the North District of the City has been replaced. They were of at least twenty year vintage.

APPARATUS IN COMMISSION

- 8 - Motor Pumping Engines: 5 - 1,250 G.P.M.; 2 - 1,000 G.P.M. engines, all with booster hose and water hose and water tanks. Three have built-in liquid foam tanks used for flammable liquid fires.
- 4 - Automobiles for Fire Prevention Division.
- 3 - Repair Division trucks.
- 3 - Aerial Ladder Trucks, 2 - 100 ft. and 1- 85 ft. tractor-type, all equipped with ladder pipes.
- 2 - Command Units for District Chiefs.
- 2 - Fire Alarm trucks.
- 2 - Automobiles for Repair Shop.
- 2 - Automobiles for Fire Alarm.
- 1 - 125 foot aerial platform.
- 1 - Rescue boat, on trailer, available on call.
- 1 - Automobile for Chief.
- 1 - Automobile for Deputy Chief.
- 1 - Automobile for Drillmaster.
- 1 - Automobile for Public Relations Officer.
- 1 - Special Hazard Unit.
- 1 - Reserve Automobile for District Cheif.
- 1 - Automobile for Planning Officer.
- 1 - Protecting Truck.

APPARATUS IN RESERVE

- 3 - Motor Pumping Engines: 1-750 G.P.M.; 1-1000 G.P.M.
- 1 - 85 foot aerial ladder truck, tractor-type.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

FIRE HOSE

9,700 feet of 4 inch hose
800 feet of 3 inch hose
20,200 feet of 2½ inch hose
8,100 feet of 1 3/4 inch hose
8,250 feet of 1½ inch hose
4,400 feet of 1 inch forestry hose
2,200 feet of 1 inch booster hose
1,500 feet of high rise hose
68 waterproof salvage covers carried on apparatus

My sincere thanks to the Mayor and City Council for the continuation of their excellent cooperation and good relationship with this Department. Inter-department cooperation is on the highest level. I extend my thanks to all city departments.

Our news media, including the Standard-Times, radio station WBSM and WNBH, television station WLNE, and Channel 13 are outstanding in presentation of fireground activity and various other newsworthy items related to the functions of the Fire Department. Without their fine support, our educational and Fire Prevention programs would be impossible to achieve their objective--namely, "reaching the people".

Many thanks to Civil Defense Director Mark Mahoney and his personnel for invaluable assistance in the fields of traffic, lighting, and availability of their rescue truck at multiple alarm fires. I also wish to commend Sgt. Ned K. Leduc and his auxiliary police for their efforts and cooperation at fires and other emergencies.

Special recognition and many thanks are extended to the company officers and firefighters, who, on many occasions, have demonstrated their ability to fulfill their duties in the highest tradition of our service. Their participation in the many civic endeavors of our City is worthy of admiration.

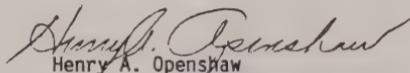
I am proud to say, Mayor, that this department has maintained its Class II rating that we acquired in 1977 despite the fact that we lost five companies and one hundred firefighters. This is due to the fact that there are improvements in equipment, training, fire alarm maintenance, a regularly established maintenance program in our Repair Division, and the efficiency of the Fire Prevention Bureau.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

RECOMMENDATIONS

Computer and related equipment, photocopier, Fax machines, and laminator	\$ 21,932.00
Aerial ladder truck, 2 vans and 4WD vehicle and boat	\$ 560,000.00
Gasoline powered generator, microphones and batteries	\$ 41,400.00
Hose and assorted fire suppression appliances	\$ 50,105.00
Self-contained breathing apparatus and individual face pieces for these units	\$ 58,425.00

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,


Henry A. Openshaw
Chief of Department

**FINANCIAL STATEMENT
GENERAL EXPENSES**

For the Fiscal Year July 1, 1992 - June 30, 1992

200 Account	Dr.	
Appropriation	\$ 191,550.00	
Transferred In	<u>40,000.00</u>	
		\$231,550.00
	Cr.	
211 Electricity	\$ 28,542.81	
212 Natural Gas	17,652.68	
213 Oil for Heat	33,890.95	
241 Repair/Maintenance Buildings. Vehicles	26,443.41	
249 Repair/Maintenance Office Equipment	1,954.29	
259 Repair/Maitnenance Communications/Misc.	24,696.18	
301 Hospital/Medical	110,023.04	
309 Public Safety	2,283.92	
313 Employee Training	1,231.95	
343 Printing	1,408.35	
347 Photocopies	19.50	
380 Not Otherwise Classified/Freight	-32,198.63	
710 In State Travel	292.95	
730 Dues, Subscriptions/Memberships	<u>1,143.45</u>	
	<u>217,384.83</u>	
Unexpended Balance	<u>14,165.17</u>	\$231,550.00

SALARIES AND PAYROLL

	Dr.	
Appropriation	\$8,959,771.00	
Expended -	\$8,959,771.00	

FIRE DEPARTMENT
FINANCIAL STATEMENT (cont'd)

GENERAL EXPENSES

For the Fiscal Year July 1, 1991 - June 30, 1992

400 Account Appropriation	Dr.	\$118,500.00
	Cr.	
424 Photocopies		\$1,060.93
425 Sundry Supplies		2,855.59
435 Tools		2,515.66
449 Repair/Maintenance Supplies/Misc.		3,324.88
450 Janitorial Supplies		6,046.75
481 Vehicle-Gasoline		16,377.68
482 Oil-Lube		790.42
483 Tires/Tubes		3,958.04
484 Vehicle-Batteries		264.24
485 Vehicle Antifreeze		-0-
486 Vehicle Parts/Access.		15,999.37
500 Medical Supplies		1,225.90
516 Classroom Supplies/Matl.		530.75
580 Not Otherwise Classified		12,164.51
584 Uniform/Other Clothing		9,245.03
588 Audiovisual/Books		4,127.49
		<u>\$ 80,487.24</u>
Unexpended Balance		<u>38,012.76</u>
		<u>\$ 118,500.00</u>

853 Trucks & Buses Cr. \$55,270.65

FIRE DEPARTMENT

**Records of Fires, False Alarms and Deaths
For Fiscal Year July 1991 through June 1992**

A FURTHER BREAKDOWN OF THE CLASSIFICATION OF THE FIRES ON THE PREVIOUS PAGE IS LISTED BELOW:

RESIDENTIAL	INCLUDES- DWELLINGS, TENEMENTS, APARTMENTS, HOTELS, ROOMING & LODGING HOUSES
NON-RESIDENTIAL	INCLUDES- OFFICE BUILDINGS, THEATRES, CHURCHES, HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, SCHOOLS
MERCANTILE	INCLUDES- RETAIL & WHOLESALE TRADE, BARS, RESTAURANTS, REPAIR SHOPS, GAS STATIONS
MANUFACTURING	INCLUDES- FACTORIES, BREWERIES, CANNERIES, BAKERIES, LAUNDRIES, PRINTING AND OTHER MANUFACTURING PROCESSES
STORAGE, ETC.	INCLUDES- WAREHOUSES, PIERS, WHARVES, GRAIN ELEVATORS AND STORAGE
PUBLIC UTILITIES	INCLUDES- POWER PLANTS, PUMPING & TRANSFORMER STATIONS, POLES, ETC.
MISCELLANEOUS	INCLUDES- A. DETACHED PRIVATE GARAGES & BARNs B. ALL OTHER BUILDINGS
GRASS & BRUSH	INCLUDES- GRASS & BRUSH FIRES <u>ONLY</u>
MOTOR VEHICLE	INCLUDES- MOTOR VEHICLE FIRES <u>ONLY</u>
ALL OTHER FIRES	INCLUDES- FIRES, SUCH AS BOATS, LUMBER YARDS AND MACHINERY
FALSE ALARMS	INCLUDES- MISCHIEVOUS AND MALICIOUS FALSE ALARMS
ACCIDENTAL ALARM	INCLUDES- SMOKE SCARES, HONEST MISTAKES, WRONG LOCATIONS, SPRINKLER TROUBLES AND ACCIDENTAL ALARMS
EMERGENCY CALLS	INCLUDES- FIRST AID, ACCIDENTS, EMERGENCY CALLS
OUT OF CITY	INCLUDES- OUT OF CITY CALLS <u>ONLY</u>
DEATHS	INCLUDES- DEATHS AMONG FIREFIGHTERS AND CIVILIANS

FIRE DEPARTMENT

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CAUSES OF FIRE

7/1/91-6/30/92

ACCIDENTAL	7
ACCUMULATION OF LINT	2
ARSON	1
AUTO ACCIDNETS	5
BURNER MALFUNCTION	4
CANDLE	3
CHIMNEY	6
CARELESS DISPOSAL OF SMOKING MATERIAL	201
CHILDREN WITH MATCHES	160
COMBUSTIBLES	19
DEFECTIVE CARBURETOR	31
DEFECTIVE WIRING -AUTO	47
DRYER MALFUNCTION	14
ELECTRICAL SHORT CIRCUIT	29
FIREWORKS	4
HEATER MALFUNCTION	2
LEAKING FUEL	18
LIGHTNING	2
OVERHEATED GENERATOR	1
OVERHEATED GREASE	7
PROPANE TANK MALFUNCTION	3
REKINDLE	11
STOVE MALFUNCTION	3
SUSPICIOUS	3
TRANSFORMER SHORT CIRCUIT	3
UNATTENDED FOOD	39
UNAUTHORIZED BURNING	33
UNDETERMINED	13
UNDER INVESTIGATION	181
VANDALISM	6
WELDING TORCH	14
TOTAL	879

FIRE DEPARTMENT

EXECUTIVE HEAD OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

Hon. Rosemary S. Tierney, Mayor

Personnel - 235

CHIEF OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

Henry A. Openshaw

DEPUTY CHIEF

Roger A. Nadeau

DISTRICT CHIEFS

James Babineau
Paul Coderre
Neil England
Brian Faria
Warren Ide

Paul Leger
Ernest Oliveira
Manuel Rezendes
John Viveiros

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Linda L. Rosario, Bookkeeper
Linda Perry, Senior Clerk, Fire Prevention

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Norbert Beaulieu
Raymond Coderre
Richard A. Collard
Paul Gallant

Carleton Faria
Michael Gentili
Thomas Marginson
George Roy
Roger Savoie

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Jeffrey Camara
Stephen F. Chmiel
Roland J. Coderre, Jr.
Martin A. Conceicao
Paul J. Couto
David Daniels
Robert V. Frates
Alfred M. Gauthier
Robert D. Gonsalves-Training Officer
Ronald L. Gonnevile
Richard W. Hopp

William S. Jakusik
David Jennings
Dennis Langlois
Reginald Lariviere
Steven Macedo
Thomas Macedo, Sr. F.A. Operator
John A. Medeiros, Jr.
Peter Molleo
Jesse Pacheco
Barry P. Pietraszek
Stanley J. Praisner
Paul Rioux
Kenneth Sasseville
Jeffrey Silva
Brian Smith
William Theodore, Jr.

FIRE ALARM BRANCH

SUPERINTENDENT OF FIRE ALARM

Henry A. Openshaw

ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT OF FIRE ALARM (Acting)

James Pedro

TELEPHONE OPERATORS

FIREFIGHTERS

Gary Arruda
Manuel Araujo
Glen Grimes
Robert Lacoste
Robert Lopes
Michael Riding
Ronald Benedetti
David Arruda - Floater
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SIGNAL MAINTAINERS

Richard Dias
Michael Soares

REPAIR SHOP

Kenneth Dunaway - Firefighter Mechanic
Joseph Gallant - Motor & Diesel Repairman
Jorge Rezendes - Motor & Diesel Repairman
Joseph Theodore - Motor & Diesel Repairman

FIRE PREVENTION BUREAU

LIEUTENANTS

Edward Souza
Richard Sylvia
William Whalen IV

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Richard J. Flood
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Theodore J. Fournier
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Donald Caldas
Kyle Canastra
Christopher Chausse'
Joseph Costa, Jr.

James Kummer
Stephen Souza
Richard Spoor
Stephen Swaye

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Clinton E. Allen
David Arruda
Steven Beaulieu
Paul Benevides
James Benoit

Michael Byrnes
Blane Ferguson
Michael Gomes
Richard McCue

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Edwin Albino	Albert DaCosta
Albert Allison	Leo Dawson
Fernando Almeida	Edward J. Dean
James F. Almeida	James E. Dean
Manuel Almeida	Ronald Dean
Charles Amaral	Charles H. Dexter
Charlie Amaral	Matthew R. Dobyna
John M. Amaral	Desmond W. Doyle
Lionel P. Amaral	Rene H. Drouin
Albert Arruda	Robert Duarte
Joseph E. Arruda	Romeo W. Dupont
Richard Baptiste	Roma Dussault
Grover C. Barksdale	Frank Enos, Jr.
Roland Barrieau	Karl Farnworth
Arthur G. Bastarache	Jose R. Felix
Ronald Beaudoin	Anibal Fernandes
Ronald A. Beauregard	John F. Fernandes
Leo Belanger	John Fernandes
Leon J. Bellavance	Manuel Ferreira
Mrs. Helen F. Bessette (Annuity)	Raymond Figueiredo
Roger A. Bissonnette	Norman Fletcher
Raymond Blackburn	George Fonseca
Lucien Blaise	Armand Fournier
Mrs. Phoebe Blanchard (Annuity)	Harrison M. Francis
Patrick S. Bociek	Theodore J. Frechette
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Raymond Botelho	Raymond G. Furness
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Everett D. Briggs	Donald Garrant
Martin D. Broadland	Richard T. Gaughan
Paul Brodeur	Roland W. Gendron
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Michael Caiado	Ferdinand J. Golen
Charles Calnan, Jr.	Albino Gomes
Roger Caplette	Antone Gomes
William G. Carter	George Gomes
Joseph O.L. Charon	Joseph T. Gouveia
Leonard R. Clarkson	Omer L. Granger
Frank H. Cleveland	Kenneth M. Haddock
John Cleveland	Albert Hall
Roland J. Coderre	Harry Hamer
Joseph R. Cormier	Kenneth W. Hart
Donald Correia	Joseph Hathaway
John Correia	Daniel F. Hayes, JR.
Eugene Costa	Henry Horrocks
Frank Costa	Edward Jablonski
Ronald Costa	Armand R. Jeffrey
Armand S. Cote	Norman Jennings
Albert Cournoyer	John Jesse
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Kenneth Koroski	Augustus B. Rapoza
David Krenmayer	Franklin D. Rego
Rene Lacobte	George A. Reynolds
Armand R. Lavallee	Ronald Rimmer
Ernest E. Laviolette	Roger A. Rioux
Paul Leahy	Joseph F. Roderigues
Napoleon L. Leclerc	Joaquim Roderigues
Roland Lefebvre	Roy R. Roderigues
Edward Leitao	Edward F. Sabatowski
Andrew Leonardo	Antone Santos
Antone Lewis, Jr.	Roger J. Savoie
George A. Lima	Oreste A. Savino
Chester Lisak	Robert Scully
Theodore Lisak	George W. Shepley
Jose Lopez	Gordon Shepley
Ernest Lord, Jr.	Michael P. Sherrington
Maurice Lyonnais	Joseph P. Silva
Casimir A. Malita	Garrett Silvia
Thomas J. Marginson	Clifford J. Snell
Irving Marsh	Alfred E. Sojka
Stanley J. Mastey	Paul Soucy
William McAfee	Fred R. Sowa
Gilbert Medeiros	Joseph B. Sowa
Joseph Meggison	Thomas Spence
Edwin P. Mello	Alan K. Steele
George P. Mello	John Stephenson
Gilbert Mello	John R. Stewardson
Joseph B. Mello	John J. Sylvia
A. Mendonca	Joseph A. Tanguay
Manuel Mendonca	Cosme Tavares
Adrien Messier	Kenneth Taylor
Maurice Metcalfe	Walter H. Taylor
Alfred J. Mikus	William Theodore
Joseph Mills	John J. Teixeira
Alvarino Miranda	Norman Thibodeau
Sylvester A. Mitchell	Wayne Thomas
Charles J. Moniz	Walter Thorpe
Louis R. Moreau	Ernest M. Torres
Nicola J. Morra	William Travers
John Mulligan	Joseph Trojak
Arthur Nobrega	Albert Trudelle
Joseph Nobrega	John E. Turgeon
Manuel Nobrega	John R. Ventura
Herman Obidzinski	Eugeniusz S. Wajda
John E. O'Brien	Donald Whelan
Joseph M. O'Brien	Wilbur Whittaker
Fred Osuch	Thomas R. Wholley
Carlos Pacheco	Joseph A. Winsper
Louis Paiva	Paul Winterson
Albert L. Palardy	Henry J. Witkos
Thomas F. Parker, Jr.	James E. Wordell
Paul Peitavino	Mitchell E. Wzyga
Leonard Perry	Howard M. York
Raymond J. Picard	Michael A. Zych
Donald Pinto	
Joseph Pisarcyzk	
Gerald T. Poitras	

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RETIRED ON PENSION DURING THE YEAR

Cosme Tavares	July 1, 1991
Norman Fletcher	July 11, 1991
John Cleveland	October 1, 1991
Frank Costa	October 1, 1991
Paul Brodeur	October 3, 1991
John Correia	December 20, 1991
Richard Baptiste	January 1, 1992
Donald Pinto	January 11, 1992
Franklin D. Rego	January 22, 1992
Donald Correia	January 22, 1992
David Krenmayer	March 4, 1992
Michael Caiado	March 5, 1992
Garrett Silvia	April 8, 1992
Ronald Costa	April 8, 1992
Andrew Leonardo	May 15, 1992

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IN MEMORIAM

Milton Andrews
Pensioner
February 27, 1992

Antone P. Arruda
Pensioner
September 27, 1991

Edwin M. Albino
Pensioner
June 5, 1992

Joseph S. Arruda
Pensioner
June 15, 1992

Daniel L. Piekut
Pensioner
June 30, 1992

FIRE DEPARTMENT
LOCATION OF SIGNAL BOXES

Box No.

117	BHR, Gifford & South Front Sts.
118	BHR, Gifford St., East of Harbor St.
1181	Dartmouth Finishing Corp., Cove St., East of Harbor St.
1182	Brewster Ind., 11 Cove St.
1183	Church of the First Born, Cove St.
121	Cliftex Corp., "B", Ruth & Abbott Sts.
122	Cornell-Dubilier Corp., Rodney French Blvd., East of Mott St.
124	Teledyne Rodney Metals, East Rodney French Blvd.
1421	Brittany Dyeing, Rodney French East & Apponegansett St.
125	Kilburn Mill, Rodney French West & Warren St.
1251	Paul Modes, Inc., Grit St. & Rodney French West
1253	Ocean Side Plaza, David & West Rodney French Blvd.
126	Carsons Shopping Center, 1383 Cove Road
13	Page Mill, Cove Rd. & Bonney St.
131	Howland Mills, Orchard St. & Rockdale Avenue
1311	Paxon Fabric Corp., 325 Bonney St.
1312	Penco Industries, Orchard St. & Rockdale Ave.
132	Goodyear Rubber Company "B", 555 Orchard St.
133	Goodyear Rubber Company "A", Orchard & Swift Sts.
134	Goodyear Rubber Company "C", Bolton St., foot of Sagamore St.
1341	Morse Food Mart, Rockdale Avenue & Bolton St.
1342	3 Howland Place, Rockdale Avenue, West of Orchard St.
135	Super Stop & Shop, 438 Dartmouth St.
136	Walecka & Sons, Hemlock St.
137	Rockdale Plaza, 464 Dartmouth St.
14	Morse Cutting Tools, Pleasant & Wing Sts.
1421	Commonwealth Electric, foot of Pine St.
1422	Commonwealth Electric, South Water & Walnut Sts.
149	State Pier, foot of Union St.
1511	House of Correction, Court & Ash Sts.
1513	Baker Manufacturing Co., 204 Court St.
1514	Maxi Drug, Rockdale Avenue, South of Hillman St.
1515	Rezendes Furniture Corporation, Kempton St. & Brownell Avenue
152	Knee High Day Nursery, 89 Merrimac St.
16	St. Luke's Hospital, Page & Bedford Sts.
191	Pace Headstart, Fort Rodman
1911	U.S. Naval Reserve Center, Fort Rodman
1912	Fort Rodman, East Rodney French Blvd.
1913	Sewage Treatment Plant, Fort Rodman
1914	Early Learning Child Care, Fort Rodman
1915	Vocational Marine Facility, Fort Rodman
1916	Army Reserve Center, Fort Rodman
2111	Maritime Terminal, Inc., Whalers Wharf
2112	Maritime Terminal, Inc., Whalers Way
2113	West Terminal Warehouse, MacArthur Drive & Herman Melville Blvd.
212	Oddstitch Embroideries, Inc.
2121	Wamsutta Realty, Acushnet Avenue & Wamsutta St.
2122	Wamsutta Warehouse "B", Logan & North Front Sts.
2123	Wamsutta Warehouse "A", North Front St., North of Wamsutta St.
2124	Wamsutta Realty "B", Acushnet Avenue & Logan St.
2125	Northern Electric Motor, Wamsutta St., East of Acushnet Avenue
213	Grinnell Mill, North Front & Kilburn Sts.

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Box No.

- 214 Kyler Seafoods, Inc., foot of Washburn St.
215 Fairhaven Mills, "A", 85 Coggeshall St.
2151 Club Shaunda's, 85 Coggeshall St.
216 Pierce Mill "A", Belleville Avenue & Sawyer St.
2161 Pierce Mill "B", Belleville Avenue & Deane St.
217 Fairhaven Mills "B", foot of Sawyer St.
2171 Madeira Twin Fashion, foot of Sawyer St.
2172 New Bedford Textile, Sawyer St., East of Mitchell St.
221 Bishings Building, Riverside Avenue
2211 Cameo Curtain Co., foot of Manomet St.
2212 American Press Building, foot of Coffin Avenue
2213 Star Plating, foot of Coffin Avenue
2214 Trans American Spinning Mills, Inc., I Coffin Avenue
2215 Fast, Inc., 52 Coffin Avenue
223 Cliftex Corp., "D", Riverside Avenue & Hathaway St.
2231 Acushnet Process "D", Riverside Avenue & Nash Rd.
2232 Estmor Realty, Belleville Avenue, North of Belleville Rd.
224 Estmor Realty, Belleville Avenue & Belleville Rd.
2241 Estmor Realty, Belleville Avenue & Hatch St.
2242 Northern Mfg. Co., Conduit St.
2243 Dritz Corp., (Risdon), 90 Hatch St.
2244 A Realty Corp., Bates & Healy Sts.
225 Fibre Products Co., Belleville Avenue, foot of Hatch St.
2251 Acushnet Co., "C", Belleville Avenue, foot of Hatch St.
2252 Coyne Laundries, Howard Avenue & River Road
2259 Acushnet Crossing, Acushnet Avenue & Route 140
226 Acushnet Company, "B", Belleville Avenue
2261 Aerovox Corp., Belleville Avenue & Hadley St.
2263 Astra Co., Industrial Park, 255 Samuel Barnett Blvd.
2264 Titleist Golf Plant II, 256 Samuel Barnett Blvd.
2265 Imtra, 30 Samuel Barnett Blvd.
227 Borg Warner "A", Industrial Park
2271 PolyPly, Inc., Industrial Park
2272 Borg Warner "B", Industrial Park
2273 Epec, Industrial Park
2274 Reynolds-Dewalt, New Bedford Industrial Park
2275 J.C. Rhodes, P.C.I. Group, Industrial Park
2276 Schaefer Marine Products, New Bedford Industrial Park
2277 Edson Corp., New Bedford Industrial Park
2278 American Flexible Conduit, New Bedford Industrial Park
2279 New England Plastics Co., Industrial Park
2285 Walker Atlantic Glass, 181 Samuel Barnett Blvd.
2286 C.P. Bourg, Inc., Industrial Park
2287 Isotronics, Vertent Blvd., Industrial Park
2288 C.P. Bourg, Inc., Industrial Park
229 Tim Len Corp., River Rd.
2291 Acushnet Company "A", Slocum St., Acushnet
2295 Milhenc, Inc., Industrial Park
23 Parkwood Hospital, 3499 Acushnet Avenue
231 Oaks Nursing Home, 4525 Acushnet Avenue
2311 County Development Corp, County & Purchase Sts.
2312 U.S. Furniture, Sawyer & Reynolds Sts.
2313 Cliftex Corp., Plant C , Sawyer Sts., West of County St.
232 Taber Mill Apartments, 217 Deane St.
2321 Alden Corrugated Container Corp, Coffin Avenue & Church St.

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LOCATION OF SIGNAL BOXES

Box No.

- 233 Farr Instrument, Phillips Avenue & Oneko Lane
 2331 Elias Realty Co., Collette & Church Sts.
 2332 My Bread Products Corp., Collette St., East of Brook St.
 234 Friendly Fruit, Inc., Purchase & Deane Sts.
 235 Cliftex Corp. "A", Deane & Brook Sts.
 24 Car Barn Apartment, State & Weld Sts.
 241 Bradford Smith Apartments, 1927-1939 Purchase St.
 242 Insulation, Inc., 423 Coggeshall St., West of Jean St.
 243 New Bedford Storage & Warehouse, Sawyer & Jean Sts.
 244 A.J. Tire, Brook & Holly Sts.
 245 Luzzo Grocery Co., Inc., Nash Rd. & Church St.
 246 Bldg. 19 Warehouse, Nash Rd. & King St.
 251 Revere Copper & Brass Co., North Front St.
 256 Charles Gillman & Sons, Inc., Pearl St.
 257 Guisti Baking Co., Purchase & Wamsutta Sts.
 2571 DeMello Furniture, Warehouse & Hazard Sts.
 26 Coaters Inc., "B", Nash Rd. & Brook St.
 261 Chamberlain Mfg. Co., King St.
 2611 Coaters Inc., "A", Edison St., West of Brook St.
 2612 Grinnell Realty, Brook & Belleville Rd.
 2613 Julius Koch, USA Ltd., Church & Carlisle Sts.
 2614 Baader North American, Inc., Building 19
 2615 Julius Koch, North Front St.
 2616 Regal House Furniture, 964 Church St.
 28 Building 19, Mt. Pleasant St.
 281 General Supply Co., Nauset St., West of Myrtle St.
 2811 NHD Resnicks of Mass., Mt. Pleasant & Nauset Sts.
 2812 Sunshine Plaza, Shawmut Avenue & Hathaway Rd.
 2813 Corp. Bros., Inc., Myrtle & Van Buren Sts.
 2814 Ashley Ford Sales, Inc., Mt. Pleasant St., South of Nauset St.
 2815 American Flexible Co., Shawmut Avenue
 2816 Sunshine Plaza Strip Stores, 139 Hathaway Rd.
 2817 Arjay National Corp., 1228 Shawmut Avenue
 282 Garbage Plant, Shawmut Avenue
 2821 Nor-East Air, Shawmut Avenue
 2822 Plumbers' Training School, 1842 Shawmut Avenue
 29 Lambeth Rope Corp., Tarkiln Hill Rd.
 291 Fieldstone Marketplace, Kings Highway
 2911 Kings Realty, Kings Highway
 2912 Super Shaws, Kings Highway
 2913 Papa Ginos, Kings Highway
 2914 Newport Creamery, Kings Highway
 2915 Fieldstone Marketplace, Phase II, Kings Highway
 2916 Kings Highway Plaza North, Kings Highway
 292 Babbitt Steam Specialty Co., Mt. Pleasant & Downey Sts.
 293 Simon Supply Co., 770 Mt. Pleasant St.
 2934 U. S. Post Office, 748 Mt. Pleasant St.
 2935 Airport Landing, 650 Mt. Pleasant St.
- 3 Lunds Corner
 31 Acushnet Avenue & Hatch St.
 311 Acushnet Avenue & Perry St.
 3111 St. Joseph School, Ingraham St.
 312 Acushnet Avenue & Hatch St.
 313 Acushnet Avenue & Belleville Rd.
 314 Brooklawn Apartments, Acushnet Avenue & Shaw St.
 3142 H & B Rooms, Acushnet Avenue & Central St.

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Box No.

315	Howard & Belleville Avenue
3151	Belleville Avenue & Wood St.
3152	Community Rest Home, 29 Tarkiln Hill Rd.
3153	Acushnet Convenience Center, Acushnet Avenue, South of Harwich St.
316	Belleville Avenue & Covell St.
317	Belleville Avenue & Hope St.
3171	Rita's Rest Home, Belleville Rd. & Desautels St.
318	Belleville Rd. & Diman St.
319	Acushnet Avenue & Nash Rd.
3191	Luzo Bank, Acushnet Avenue & Whitman St.
323	Arlington & Clifford Sts.
324	Shaw & Concord Sts.
325	Arlington & Query Sts.
326	Ashley Blvd. & Shaw St.
3261	Central Avenue & Brook St.
327	Ashley Blvd. & Glennon St.
3271	Abraham Lincoln School, Ashley Blvd. & Glennon St.
3272	Glennon Street Apartments, 12 & 22 Glennon St.
329	Ashley Blvd. & Nash Rd.
332	Church & Glennon Sts.
3322	Carlisle & Church Sts.
3323	Church & Wood Sts.
3325	Fairhaven Savings Bank, Tarkiln Hill Rd. & Church St.
334	Nash Rd. & Church St.
343	Carlisle & Milford Sts.
3431	Brooklawn & Maywood Sts.
3432	Charles S. Ashley School, Rochambeau & Carlisle Sts.
3433	Clean Laundry North, 72 Milford St.
345	Ashley Blvd. & Irvington St.
35	Airport Storage Blvd. Shawmut Avenue
36	New Bedford, Municipal Airport, Shawmut Avenue
361	Mt. Pleasant St. & Nash Rd.
3611	Mt. Pleasant St. & Kings Highway
3612	Mt. Pleasant St. & Tarkiln Hill Rd.
3613	Plainville Long Term Care Facility, 875 Plainville Rd.
3615	Willows Condominiums, Bldg. A, 50 New Plainville Rd.
362	Plainville Rd. & Lebouef St.
363	Plainville Rd. & Shawmut Avenue
37	Harwich & Conduit Sts.
371	Wood & Felton Sts.
3712	Normardin Junior High School, Felton St.
3713	Jireh Swift School, Lunds Corner
372	Tarkiln Hill Rd. & Felton St.
3721	Caswell & Jarry Sts.
3722	Pine Grove & Jarry Sts.
3723	St. Mary School, Illinois St., West of Pine Grove St.
3724	Metcalfe & Appleton Sts.
373	Branscomb & Orleans Sts.
374	Ashley Blvd. & Wood St.
375	Ashley Blvd. & Tarkiln Hill Rd.
3751	Lafayette St. & Park Avenue
376	Tarkiln Hill Rd. & Prescott St.
3761	Church & Lynn Sts.
3762	Oliver & Brockton Sts.
3763	Lynn & Hawes Sts.
3764	Holyoke & Oliver Sts.

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Box No.

3765	Regional Vocational High School, Ashley Blvd., North of Menton St.
38	Acushnet & Sassequin Avenue
381	Acushnet Avenue & Peckham Rd.
3811	Sassequin Avenue & Sterling St.
3812	Sassequin Avenue & Tobey St.
3813	Tobey & Upland Sts.
3814	Harbor, Inc., Sassequin, 1523 Sassequin Avenue
3815	Commonwealth Gas Plant, Peckham Rd.
382	Acushnet Avenue & Braley Rd.
3821	Phillips & Braley Rds.
3822	Acushnet Avenue & Churchill Sts.
3823	Acushnet Avenue & Mastera St.
3824	Ridgewood Rd. & Pine Hill Drive
385	Little Oak Rd. & Greenbrier Drive
3826	Longview Rd. & Pine Hill Drive
3827	Birchwood Drive & Ivy Rd.
3828	Holly Tree Lane & Hillcrest Rd.
383	Acushnet Avenue & White St.
3831	Laurelwood Drive & Cottonwood Rd.
3832	Briarwood Drive & Blaze Rd.
3834	Pulaski School & Braley Rd.
3835	Phillips Rd., South of Braley Rd.
3836	Heritage Green, Phillips Rd.
3837	Lord Phillips Apartments, Phillips Rd., South of Braley Rd.
384	Nyes Lane & Acushnet Avenue
385	Acushnet Avenue & Forbes St.
3852	West View Building, 81 Welby Rd.
3853	Aegis, Inc., Welby Rd.
386	Acushnet Avenue & Phillips Rd.
3861	Elwyn G. Campbell School, Phillips Rd.
3862	Church St. & Phillips Rd.
3863	Ashley Blvd. & Chaffee St.
3864	Acushnet Avenue & Joyce St.
3865	Phillips Rd. & Wildwood Rd.
3866	Wildwood Rd. & Belair St.
3867	Wildwood Rd. & Tacoma St.
387	Acushnet Avenue & Dutton St.
3871	St. Theresa Church, Acushnet Avenue, South of Dewey St.
3872	Acushnet Avenue & Bristol St.
3873	Acushnet Avenue & Marion St.
3874	Becket & Adelaide Sts.
3875	Evergreen Park Housing Project, south side, Amanda Avenue
3876	Village at North Woods, 1261 Church St.
3877	Evergreen Park Community Building, 8 Amanda Ave.
3878	Evergreen Park Housing Project, north side, Amanda Ave.
388	Acushnet Avenue & Ethel St.
3881	Acushnet Avenue & Homestead St.
3882	Acushnet Avenue & Balls Corner
3883	Little People's College, Acushnet Avenue & Glen St.
3884	Peoples' Christian Church, 2240 Acushnet Avenue
39	Sassequin Nursing Home, 4586 Acushnet Avenue
4	Tinkham & North Front Sts.
41	Hathaway & Diman Sts.
411	Belleville Avenue & Davis St.
4111	Sarah D. Ottiwell School, Hathaway & Diman Sts.
4113	Immaculate Conception Church, Earle St.
4114	Immaculate Conception School, Davis St.

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Box No.

- 412 Acushnet Avenue & Davis St.
4128 North End Rooming House, Acushnet Avenue, North of Deane St.
413 Ashley Blvd. & Coffin Avenue
4131 Phillips Avenue School, Ashley Blvd.
4141 My Bread Baking Co., Coffin Avenue
415 Belleville Avenue & Coffin Avenue
416 Acushnet Avenue & Bullard St.
4161 Beauregard Apartments, Acushnet Avenue & Tallman St.
42 Belleville Avenue & Nye St.
421 Ashley Blvd. & Tallman St.
4211 St. Anthony School, Ashley Blvd. & Nye St.
4212 Ashley Blvd. & Sawyer St.
4213 Touraine Hotel, Acushnet Avenue & Beetle St.
422 Acushnet Avenue & Sawyer St.
423 Holly & North Front Sts.
4231 Brown's Rooming House, East of Belleville Avenue
43 Acushnet Avenue & Coggeshall St.
431 Belleville Avenue & Coggeshall St.
432 Cedar Grove & North Front Sts.
433 F & B Enterprises, Washburn St.
4332 John H. Clifford School, Ashley Blvd. & Coggeshall St.
434 Acushnet Avenue & Washburn St.
4345 Hicks & North Front Sts.
441 Brook & Earle Sts.
442 Ashley Blvd. & Earle St.
4421 St. Kilian Rectory, Earle & Ashley Blvd.
4422 St. Lilian Church, 306 Ashley Blvd.
451 Mt. Vernon & Highland Sts.
4511 Holy Name Parish Center, Mt. Vernon & Mt. Pleasant Sts.
4512 Holy Name Church, 121 Mt. Pleasant St.
452 Mt. Pleasant & Peckham Sts.
453 Summer & Adams Sts.
454 Mt. Pleasant & Sawyer Sts.
4541 Mt. Pleasant School, Mt. Pleasant & Sawyer Sts.
455 Presidential Heights, Mt. Pleasant & Van Buren Sts.
4553 Mt. Pleasant St. & Hathaway Rd.
46 Sawyer & County Sts.
461 Coggeshall & Reynolds Sts.
4611 Hayden-McFadden School, Cedar Grove & County Sts.
4612 Hillside Court Housing, Coggeshall & Reynolds Sts.
4613 Clean Rentals, Coggeshall & County Sts.
462 Purchase & Cedar Grove Sts.
4621 Purchase & Weld Sts.
464 Summer & Clark Sts.
47 Purchase & Linden Sts.
471 County & Linden Sts.
4711 Kinyon Campbell School, County & Linden Sts.
4712 Dawson Building, Purchase & Linden Sts.
472 Summer & Durfee Sts.
473 Highland & Durfee Sts.
48 Shawmut Avenue & Durfee St.
482 Shawmut Avenue & Mt. Vernon St.
4821 Shawmut Avenue & Sutton St.

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4822	Kristen Beth Nursing Home, Shawmut Avenue
4823	Easton & Townsend Sts.
4824	Loftus & Ayer Sts.
4826	Potter St. & Hathaway Rd.
484	Shawmut Avenue & Hathaway Rd.
4841	Hathaway Rd. & Whitlow St.
4842	Whaler Motor Inn
492	Rockdale Avenue & Durfee St.
4921	Hallmark Nursing Home, Rockdale Avenue
4922	Rockdale Avenue & Sawyer St.
4923	Roseanne & Gardner Sts.
4924	Roseanne & Oakdale Sts.
4925	Carriage Drive & Bayberry Rd.
4926	Carriage Drive & Rockway St.
4927	Oakdale & West Hill Rd.
494	Rockdale Avenue & Hathaway Rd.
4941	Hathaway Rd. & Sunset St.
4942	Hathaway Rd. & Tradewind St.
4943	Hathaway Manor, 863 Hathaway Rd.
4944	Valley View Manor, 915 Hathaway Rd.
5	Parker St. School, Summer St.
51	County & Pope Sts.
511	Hazard & State Sts.
5121	Purchase & Wamsutta Sts.
5122	North Baptist Church, 750 County St., corner of Merrimac St.
513	Purchase & Franklin Sts.
5131	Bedford Village, Pope St.
514	Purchase & Willis Sts.
5141	Francis P. Memorial Hospital, Pleasant & Willis Sts.
5142	Savoy Nursing Home, Campbell & County Sts.
5143	County & Smith Sts.
515	Acushnet Avenue & Wall St.
5156	Hillman St. & Herman Melville Blvd.
5157	Frionor Kitchens, Herman Melville Blvd., foot of Hillman st.
5161	City Hall Annex West, Purchase & Maxfield Sts.
5162	City Hall Annex East, Purchase & Maxfield Sts.
517	Sycamore & State Sts.
5171	Maxfield & Pleasant Sts.
5172	Penton Apartments, Hillman & Foster Sts.
5173	State Armory, Sycamore & Pleasant Sts.
52	Richmond & Austin Sts.
521	Shawmut Avenue & Maitland Sts.
5211	Sacred Heart Home, Summer St.
523	Summer & Robeson Sts.
5231	County & Merrimac Sts.
524	Cedar & Locust Sts.
55	Shawmut Avenue & Parker St.
5251	Parker & Caroline Sts.
526	Chestnut & Willis Sts.
527	Cedar & Smith Sts.
5271	Cedar Street School, Maxfield St.
5272	West End Day Nursery of New Bedford, Cedar & Maxfield Sts.

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Box No.

- 53 Kempton & Cottage Sts.
531 Kempton & Chancery Sts.
5311 New Bedford Home for the Aged, Middle & Chancery Sts.
5312 United Front Homes, Ash & Kempton Sts.
5313 Station #3, 834 Kempton St.
532 Kempton & Liberty Sts.
5321 Eastern Ma. Correctional Alcohol Center, Kempton & Liberty Sts.
5322 New Bedford Boys' Club, North & Jenney Sts.
5323 Dyl-Chem Inc., North & Lindsay Sts.
533 Kempton & Florence Sts.
5331 Maxfield & Lindsay Sts.
5333 Keith Junior High School, Hathaway Blvd. & Summit St.
5334 New Bedford High School, Hathaway Blvd.
534 Kempton St. & Rockdale Avenue
5341 Thomas R. Rodman School, Mill St. & Rockdale Avenue
5343 Rockdale Avenue & Grant St.
5344 Rockdale Avenue & Nemasket St.
5345 Elizabeth C. Brooks School, Nemasket St.
5346 Nemasket & Cornell Sts.
5347 Fairmount & Alva Sts.
536 Kempton & Jenny Lind Sts.
5361 Grant & Cornell Sts.
5362 Kempton & Brownell Avenue
5363 Brownell Avenue & Berkley St.
5364 Shaw Plaza, State Rd.
5365 Newport Creamery, 1071 Kempton St.
5411 Melville Towers, foot of North St.
543 Fish Island
5431 Popes Island
5432 Bridge Freezer, Fish Island
544 Rodman & Front Sts.
545 City Pier, foot of Hamilton St.
546 Union St. & Frontage Rd.
551 County & Maxfield Sts.
5511 County & Hillman Sts.
552 County & Kempton Sts.
5521 Bedford Towers, Summer & Kempton Sts.
5522 88 Mill St., East of County St.
5524 St. Lawrence Church, North & Summer Sts.
5525 Carney Academy, Summer & Elm Sts.
556 King Village East, Cottage & Kempton Sts.
5527 King Village West, Cottage & Kempton Sts.
5528 New Bedford House, 458 County St.
553 Pleasant & High Sts.
5531 Third District Court, Middle & South Sixth Sts.
5532 New Bedford Hotel Apartments, Pleasant & High Sts.
5534 Bank of Boston, Pleasant & Elm Sts.
5535 Regency Towers, Pleasant & Middle Sts.
5537 Elm St. Garage, South Second & Elm Sts.
5538 Federal Building, South Sixth & Elm Sts.
5539 Southern N.E. School of Law, 874 Purchase St.
554 Purchase & Elm Sts.
5541 W.T. Grant Co., Purchase St.
5542 Cherry & Webb Co., Purchase St.
5543 Olympia Times Building, Acushnet Avenue & Elm St.
5544 Bristol Building, Purchase St.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

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LOCATION OF SIGNAL BOXES

Box. No.

5545	New Bedford Five Cents Savings Bank, Purchase St.
5546	Saltmarsh's, Purchase St. & Sears Court
5547	New Bedford Institution for Savings, Purchase & Union Sts.
5548	Chamber of Commerce, 794 Purchase St.
556	William & North Sixth Sts.
5561	Cummings Building, William St.
5562	Merchants BayBank Building, William St.
5563	Purchase & William Sts.
5564	Our Lady's Chapel, Pleasant St. & Sears Court
5565	Five Cents Savings Bank Annex
5566	Mechanics' Square Apartments, North Sixth & Elm Sts.
557	County & Morgan Sts.
5571	Summer & Middle Sts.
5572	Roderigues Administration Building, County & Morgan Sts.
5573	Unitarian Church, Union & Eighth Sts.
5574	17 Seventh St., Seventh & Spring Sts.
5575	Market Ministry, 60 Eighth St., North of Union St.
5576	Superior Court, 441 County St., corner of Court St.
56	Union & Eighth Sts.
561	Union & Purchase Sts.
5611	Jacques Plaza, 222 Union St.
5612	Stuarts' Department Store, Union St.
5613	Massachusetts Bay Antiques Company, Union St.
5614	Standard-Times Building, Pleasant St.
5615	Coffin Building, Pleasant St.
5616	Vera Building, Union St.
5617	First National Bank, Union & Pleasant Sts.
5618	Probate Family Court, 505 Pleasant St., corner of Spring St.
562	William & North Second Sts.
5621	Old Dartmouth Historical Society, Johnny Cake Hill
5622	Mariners' Home, Johnny Cake Hill
5623	Seamans' Bethel, Johnny Cake Hill
5624	New Bedford Institution for SAVings, William & So. Second Sts.
5625	Rodman Candleworks, Rödman & North Water Sts.
5626	Plumbers' Landing Co., So. Water & Commercial Sts.
563	Union & Water Sts.
5632	Union & South Second Sts.
564	I.B.E.W., Union Hall, Acushnet Avenue,North of William st.
57	Cottage & North Sts.
5711	New Bedford Skill Center, Hillman & Ash Sts.
5713	Early Learning Child Care, 181 Hillman St.
572	Hillman & Park Sts.
5721	St. Francis of Assisi Church, Mill & Newton Sts.
573	Park & Smith Sts.
5731	Smith Street Center
581	Union & Ash Sts.
582	Union & Ocean Sts.
583	Union & Rounds Sts.
59	Cottage & Court Sts.
591	Court & Park Sts.
5911	E.R. Hathaway School, court & Liberty Sts.
592	Court & James Sts.
593	Palmer & Elm Sts.
594	Court & Reed Sts.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

LOCATION OF SIGNAL BOXES

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Box No.

595	Buttonwood & Lake Sts.
596	Brownell St. & Brownell Avenue
5961	Pauline St. & Brownell Avenue
5962	Tifereth Israel Synagogué, 145 Brownell Avenue
6	Pleasant & School Sts.
61	Purchase & Madison Sts.
611	South Second & School Sts.
6111	Y.M.C.A., Union & So. Water Sts.
6112	Olympia Towers, Purchase & Spring Sts.
6113	South Second & Madison Sts.
6114	Boa Vista Towers, South Second St.
6118	Harborview Towers East, So. Second & School Sts.
6119	Harborview Towers West, 280 Acushnet Avenue
612	Walnut & South Water Sts.
6121	Homers' Wharf, Front St.
6122	Bourne Counting House, Homers' Wharf & Mac Arthur Drive
613	Animal Rescue League, MacArthur Drive, South of Pine St.
6131	Yellowbird Trucking, MacArthur Drive & Conway St.
614	MacArthur Drive & Pine St.
6141	New Bedford Seafood Co-op, Howland St.
6142	Tichon Fish Corp., Conway & Hassey Sts.
615	Acushnet Avenue & Cannon Sts.
6151	St. James & St. John School, Purchase & Wing Sts.
616	Bedford & South Sixth Sts.
6161	Hope Apartments, 499 Purchase, North of Russell St.
6162	County & Allen Sts.
6163	St. John Academy, Orchard St.
6165	Swain School, Rodman Building, County & Cherry Sts.
617	Walnut & Seventh Sts.
6171	Blair House
6172	Roosevelt Apartments
6173	Havenwood Rest Home, Walnut & Seventh Sts.
6175	Grace Church, County & School Sts.
6176	W.L.N.E. Television, Inc., County & Spring Sts.
6178	Kennedy Donovan Center, 19 Hawthorne St.
62	Allen & Dartmouth Sts.
621	Bedford & Borden Sts.
622	Ward & Bay Sts.
623	Allen & Page Sts.
624	Allen & Brigham Sts.
6241	Betsy B. Winslow School, Allen & Reed Sts.
625	Allen St. & Rockdale Avenue
63	Hawthorn & Cottage Sts.
631	Moreland Terrace & Page St.
6311	Taber Nursing Home, Taber St.
6313	Harbor Residential, Maple & Atlantic Sts.
632	Hawthorn & Brigham Sts.
6321	Jewish Convalescent Home, Hawthorn St., East of Tremont St.
633	Ryan & Brownell Sts.
634	Carroll & Reed Sts.
635	Maple & Rounds Sts.
636	Hawthorn St. & Rockdale Avenue

FIRE DEPARTMENT

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LOCATION OF SIGNAL BOXES

Box No.

6362	Ryan & Whittier Sts.
6364	Burns & Carroll Sts.
64	Orchard & Clinton Sts.
641	Arnold & Ash Sts.
642	Arnold & Atlantic Sts.
643	Arnold & Rotch Sts.
644	Arnold & Reed Sts.
7	Howland & South Second Sts.
71	Purchase & South Sts.
7113	MacArthur Drive & Conway St.
7114	MacArthur Drive & South St.
7115	Conway & Cape Sts.
7116	South & Hassey Sts.
712	Potomska & South Second Sts.
7121	Gomes School, South Second & Grinnell Sts.
7122	Shuster Corp., Wright & Hassey Sts.
713	Acushnet Avenue & Rivet St.
7131	Kennedy Center, Blackmer & So. Second Sts.
7132	Garden Apartments, Acushnet Avenue & Rockland St.
7133	The Gardens, South Second & South Sts.
7134	School House Apartments, South St. & Acushnet Avenue
7135	The Manor, 9 Bedford St., corner of Acushnet Avenue
7136	The Gardens, Walnut St. & Acushnet Avenue
7137	Womens' Center, County & South Sts.
714	South Water & Blackmer Sts.
7141	Orpheum Apartments, Water St., North of Cove St.
715	South Water & Division Sts.
716	South Water & Cove Sts.
7161	New Bedford Day Nursery, 1060 Cove Rd., West of South First St.
717	Cove & Viall Sts.
72	County & Grinnell Sts.
721	Rockland & Hall Sts.
7211	St.James Church, County & Rockland Sts.
722	County & Thompson Sts.
7221	Casa Da Saudade Library, Thompson & Crapo Sts.
723	County & Blackmer Sts.
724	County & Delano Sts.
7241	Jouvette Garden Apartments, Jouvette & County Sts.
7242	Scott Street Apartments, 43 Scott St.
725	County & Cove Sts.
726	W/W Storage & Moving, South First St., North of Cove St.
727	Copeland Apartments, Purchase St., North of Rivet St.
73	Washington & Crapo Sts.
731	Orchard & Fair Sts.
7311	Fairview Dormitories, Crapo & Washington Sts.
732	Briggs & Thompson Sts.
7321	J.B. Congdon School, Hemlock & Thompson Sts.
733	Bolton & Rivet Sts.
734	Crapo & Rivet Sts.
7342	Regina Pacis Center, Rivet & Hyacinth Sts.
735	Crapo & Division Sts.
7351	John B.DeValles School, Katherine St.
736	Cove Rd. & Rockdale Avenue

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Olivia Melo	Wilks Branch, Acting Head	Pre-Professional Librarian
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Maria Melo	Administration Office	Library Assistant to Director	
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NAME	TITLE/LOCATION	CLASSIFICATION
William Schneller	Head of Interlibrary Loan and Subregional Services	Librarian II
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PERSONNEL SUMMARY FISCAL 1992

FY90 ACTUAL	FY91 ACTUAL	FY92 ACTUAL
FT/PT 60/2	FT/PT 38/2	FT/PT 35/4

INTRODUCTION

To the Honorable Rosemary Tierney, Mayor, members of the City Council and members of the Board of Library Trustees of the City of New Bedford, I respectfully submit the Annual Report of the New Bedford Free Public Library for July 1, 1991 through June 30, 1992.

The New Bedford Free Public Library system consists of the Main Library, Wilks, Buttonwood Community, Howland Green, and Casa da Saudade Branch Libraries. The Bookmobile which normally visits schools, day-care centers, housing projects, shut-ins and city neighborhoods, has not operated since July 1, 1990 due to budget constraints.

New Bedford serves as the Subregional Headquarters for the libraries of Acushnet, Assonet, Carver, Cuttyhunk, Dartmouth, Fairhaven, Fall River, Freetown, Marion, Mattapoisett, Rochester, Somerset, Swansea, Wareham, and Westport. As the Subregional Headquarters, provided for by the Massachusetts Board of Library Commissioners through the Eastern Massachusetts Regional Library System, the New Bedford Free Public Library has the responsibility of providing support services to these libraries.

New Bedford is a part of Southeastern Automated Libraries, Incorporated (SEAL), which was incorporated in 1987. Other members of SEAL include the public libraries of Acushnet, Carver, Dartmouth, Fairhaven, Fall River, Marion, Mattapoisett, Somerset, Swansea, Wareham, and Westport.

The mission of the New Bedford Free Public Library is to provide excellence in library services and materials to the citizens of New Bedford: to help them obtain information to meet their personal, educational, and professional needs, with particular emphasis on youth and reference services, and to be a repository for local recorded history and art.

SERVICES AND ACTIVITIES

The most dramatic change in personnel for the year was when the teams of staff operating Buttonwood/Wilks branches and Howland Green/Casa branches were switched on October 15. This decision relieved some of the burden from the staff by changing the pairing from the two busiest branches together and the two least busy branches together to a more efficient combination of two pairs of one busier with one less busy. Although this meant a change in location and operation for the staff, once the transitional adjustments were made, it became possible to successfully undertake more projects.

Impacting most dramatically on all facilities due to the financial limitations of the FY'92 Budget was the forced closing of all branches, except Buttonwood, kept open with a donation from the Friends of the New Bedford Free Public Library from July 1 to July 29. This cost cutting measure was used as an alternative to more staff layoffs. The cut was borne by all staff rather than a few losing their jobs. Only the Inter Library Loan staff and one reference librarian remained in the main building to fulfill contractual obligations to the subregion. Not only was this a great inconvenience to our patrons, but it also resulted in greatly increased work loads for New Bedford library staff for several weeks after reopening. Typically the branches saw considerable activity from patrons immediately after reopening. For instance, Wilks Branch checked in over 1,000 items on August 3 alone!

During the last fiscal year, the single greatest impact upon services and activities was the continuing budget problems. As in the preceding fiscal year, staff were stretched. At the main library

this additionally meant providing back up services for other departments, particularly reference and technical services staff filling in for circulation and youth services.

ADMINISTRATION

The months leading up to the start of FY '92 were difficult ones for everyone. The decision made for the library department as a result of the budget constraint was one of preservation. It was our intention throughout to maintain what was left of the library. What had been lost in the previous year was not regained. Staff who had been laid off were not rehired. The Bookmobile was not brought back into service. In fact, FY '92 brought the promise of more cuts and greater losses.

In trying to preserve what we had left, we proposed an alternative that had not been tried before - a temporary shut down of all aspects of library service in order to ensure that once the cut was absorbed, that New Bedford would have as much library service in FY '92 as it had in FY '91. Though not great, we at least would not have lost any more ground.

To accomplish this everyone affected by the decision was temporarily pained and this is always sad. However, the alternative would have been long term loss for some, if we had closed branch libraries completely. With this plan no staff members lost their job.

In FY '92 the library custodians were removed from the library budget and placed under the direction of the Building Department. It was soon very obvious that this was not a good decision. Duplication of efforts, more paper work and far too distant a span of control for the individuals involved were some of the problems.

A great deal of effort went into finding a suitable owner for the Community Center in which the Casa da Saudade is housed. It was recognized by the Board and the city administration that neither the library nor the city could manage to properly repair and maintain that building. After several months of work, the Portuguese Continental Union expressed their desire, in the form of a proposal to the city, to acquire, repair, and maintain the building as a Portuguese Cultural Center. Part of the plan was to retain all existing tenants. In November, 1991 with the change in the city administration plans changed and the city decided to retain the building. However, the problem of the financial burden to the city and the dangerous condition of the building does not go away. Any improvement of the situation with that building seems unlikely in the near future.

On January 11, 1992 Phyllis Mayer from the Friends of the Library and Rosemary Medeiros attended the first official meeting of the Massachusetts Friends of Library meeting. The establishment of this statewide group is significant.

Friends of the New Bedford Library sponsored a raffle for the purpose of raising funds for the restoration of the Bookmobile service. Mildred Barry chaired their effort for which many Friends worked diligently. Over \$10,000 was raised. The Friends also raised approximately \$1200 more doing gift wrapping at Howland Place during the Christmas season.

In the year following the appointment of the new regional Administrator for the Eastern Region, Ruth Kowal, much more was done by and on behalf of the subregions. The major points of change were the manner in which Regional funds are distributed and development of a means of attaching levels of accountability for all recipients. The work done in FY '92 generated a budget of \$195,431 for FY '93, as compared to \$153,951 in FY '92.

In October, 1991 the library received a plaque from the Office of Housing and Neighborhood Development recognizing the former Thompson School as an historic building. This building houses the Casa da Saudade Library.

Mr. Lawrence Solomon, former library Director for sixteen years, passed away on November 11, 1991. Yvonne Lacoste, former library administrative assistant was called upon by Mr. Solomon's family to deliver the eulogy.

"You Are Significant" was a program for children funded with \$3,000 from the Mayor's Drug Free Partnership. Sue Anderson managed the ten week program that worked with 40 children at Howland Green and 30 children at the Casa da Saudade. As usual, Ms. Anderson brought out the best and truly showed these children how significant they really are.

The library began FY '92 with five of its staff members having received their Master of Library Science Degrees in the past three years. Olivia Melo and Maria Jose Carvalho graduated in May, 1991.

Library Department Heads met the Trustees to familiarize members with the activities of the various departments.

Pauline Robillard gave birth to a son, Thomas Joseph, on April 15, 1992. Donna Cordeiro gave birth to a daughter Sarah Marie on June 10, 1992. Tammy Arruda gave birth to a son Nathan on June 24, 1992.

New Bedford received a waiver from the Massachusetts Board of Library Commissioners in order to receive a FY '92 Municipal Equalization Grant and the Library Incentive Grants.

On April 30, 1992, marked the twenty first anniversary celebration for the Casa da Saudade. Elsie and Tony Souza presented their program on the Azores.

The efforts of the staff during FY '92 are evident in the report that follows. The dedication of the New Bedford Free Public Library staff, their commitment to the goals and ideals of the system and its service to the community, have made a great deal possible under difficult conditions.

REFERENCE SERVICES

The main priority for the Reference Department remains direct patron assistance; therefore, the bulk of staff time was spent instructing patrons how to use the public access catalogs (PACS), microfilm equipment, computer databases and print reference materials; teaching students basic research techniques; answering reference questions, and offering referrals when necessary.

In addition, Paula Wallace, Coordinator of Reference Services, and the reference staff were kept busy developing and maintaining the reference and nonfiction collections through book selection and ordering, weeding, filing subscription material and keeping the reference materials in accessible order. The reference staff also served as book pages, shelved and circulated books, put public shelves in order and filled in, as much as possible, wherever necessary.

SPECIAL SERVICES

Paul Cyr., Curator, and Ernestina Furtado, Archivist, continued compiling indexes of census data, obituaries and vital records. The department acquired microfilms of Massachusetts birth and death records for the years 1841 to 1890 through a donation by Mr. Brad Luther. Mr. Barry H. Smith provided funds which allowed the purchase of microfilm of the 1920 Federal Census for Southeastern Massachusetts and Newport County, RI. Other acquisitions expanded material on Jewish genealogy, military pension records, Maine vital records and Irish immigration. During the year, 4859 patrons used visited special services, with 21% of those using the evening hours.

The department has begun a newsletter describing new acquisitions and the resources available for research. Mr. Cyr spoke on genealogy to the Rhode Island Genealogical Society and the Arcadian Cultural Society and on cable television.

TECHNOLOGY

Technology continued to play an important role in allowing the library system of New Bedford and the surrounding communities to successfully interact, cooperate and fill the needs of their patrons. SEAL, subregional cooperation, CD-ROM equipped terminals, fax machines and computer data base programs allowed more efficient use of the resources available to New Bedford's libraries.

In October, 1991, the New Bedford Free Public Library began receiving cataloging for the items received in the system as a selective depository for U. S. government documents. Since the New Bedford Free Public Library is the only depository member of SEAL, the network agreed to pay for the cataloging of our records. Now any member library can find what current government publications the New Bedford system has received. The documents are catalogued by subject heading, as well as title and issuing agency. In FY '93, the New Bedford system will be working to acquire the same detailed cataloging information for all the older documents in our federal government collection.

In April, the main branch received another CD-ROM workstation for the reference room as a demonstration trial for Proquest, a magazine article index, and an index to the *New York Times*. This computer technology allows patrons to search more quickly through a span of years, and to search by key words in the articles as well as by subject.

In June a community events calendar was added at the PAC terminals, allowing patrons to easily discover events of local interest.

The Inter Library Loan department (ILL), William Schneller, Head, continued to make daily use of its SEAL terminals, and a DEC VT220 terminal with a dedicated line to the Boston Public Library for online access to that library's general library collections. A Wyse 286 microcomputer, also housed in ILL, was used primarily to access the OCLC union catalog and ILL module, but also for other computing needs (e.g. word processing, dialing into other databases, etc.). A Hitachi single disk CD-ROM player with Books In Print Plus is also attached to this terminal.

The addition of fax machines in all but the two smallest libraries of the subregion (Freetown & Assonet) placed a new responsibility on the New Bedford Free Public Library. Subregion libraries can now transmit to New Bedford requests for magazine articles and ready reference material. Whenever possible, requests during the last year were filled from our collection, the remaining requests were forwarded to Boston Public Library. The needed material was then faxed back, significantly reducing the time necessary to deliver information, but requiring staff time to manage the requests and responses.

The Eastern Region will continue funding our access to OCLC, thus assuring our ability to search the de facto national database and borrow materials from around the country. Without access to this technology it would be impossible to meet the demand from local patrons and the subregion.

SEAL installed a second microcomputer and a dedicated phone line for it in June, 1992 for use in the special Portuguese cataloging project. This terminal was used to access the OCLC

cataloging database, which is located in Ohio, one resource for Portuguese language cataloging. This was part of an L. S. C. A. grant project.

SUBREGION SERVICES

During the month of July, while the rest of the library system was shut down due to budget restraints, the Inter Library Loan Department remained in operation. The three full time and one part time position plus a library assistant in technical services and a reference librarian are funded by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. Therefore they are not affected by the local budget situation. These staff members worked throughout the month to provide all the services normally provided to public libraries in the 15 surrounding communities which make up the subregion.

The New Bedford system continues offering to other subregional libraries older reference books which had been updated. The response, especially from smaller libraries, has been very good. By sharing our resources in this way, the smaller libraries can purchase other items for their patrons' use.

In April, a collection of nearly 1,000 books was received from the Eastern Region book mobile collection in Taunton, which was being discontinued. These books, 85% of which are large print, are on extended loan to the subregion. These books need to be added to the SEAL database, bar coded, and reprocessed before distribution throughout the subregion.

Several meetings of the subregion were held during the year including a reference exchange, and directors' meetings with the administrator for planning, services, purchases, and disposition of materials from the Taunton bookmobile/deposit center.

During the fiscal year, there were 13,917 requests for interlibrary loans for which 12,874 were filled. This represents an increase of 14% in both the number of requests received and filled over last year.

As a prelude to statewide resource sharing, New Bedford began a 3 month experiment in September in cooperation with the Bridgewater and Wellsley subregions, dialing into the ABLE (Automated Bristol Library Exchange) and Minuteman databases. New Bedford's initial evaluation of the system found the access very helpful for filling subregion requests in a timely way. More importantly, it allowed New Bedford to retain control over its requests rather than relying on someone else to search for the requested material. The experiment was, from New Bedford's perspective, a success. Unfortunately, the other participants did not feel as positively about the experience. A summary report on the pilot project has been written and submitted to the Eastern Region. (New Bedford can still dial into ABLE.)

At the request of the Eastern Region Library Advisory Council (ERLAC) the tasks performed by all staff funded by the region were analyzed in terms of their contribution to meeting the goals of the regions plan of service. This analysis was then used in preparing the FY'93 budget.

At the request of SEAL, the New Bedford Library examined various options for handling OCLC ILL requests which will be generated as a result of SEAL's holdings being loaded on that database. It is anticipated that New Bedford will at some point in the near future be required by the Eastern Region to provide this service.

PROGRAMS

> Children And Youths, Main Library And Branches

Despite the part time operations of the branches making it more difficult to reach the children, the commitment by the library staff, branch heads, and Coordinator of Youth Services was greatly evident throughout the year.

Since the library was closed for the month of July, a special take-out "Wizard Read" summer reading package which included suggested reading, puzzles, activities, mazes, etc. was made available through the efforts of the branch heads (Joao Aguiar at Casa da Saudade, Maria Jose Carvalho at Howland Green, Sharon Pinho at Buttonwood, Olivia Melo at Wilks) and the Coordinator of Youth Services (Gail Roberts). These packets proved so popular (150 packets were given out in total) that Buttonwood ran out of copies before July was over.

The staff at Buttonwood/Wilks felt it was important to offer a wrap up program. Olivia Melo converted "Travel Bingo" to "Wizard Bingo" and with donations from McDonalds the branches were able to offer prizes, paperback books, reading certificates, punch and cookies. 21 children attended the Awards Party at Buttonwood and 14 at Wilks.

Sharon Pinho and Tammy Arruda, Library Assistant, planned and carried out 27 preschool story hours beginning in October and running through the rest of FY '92 at Buttonwood. This was an increase of 20 storytimes from the seven of a year ago and involved 304 children. Sleepytime Storyhours at this branch were also increased with the active participation of all, including Melanie Perreira, a 7 year old helper. This program provided 22 storyhours, compared to 2 for the previous year. It involved 100 children.

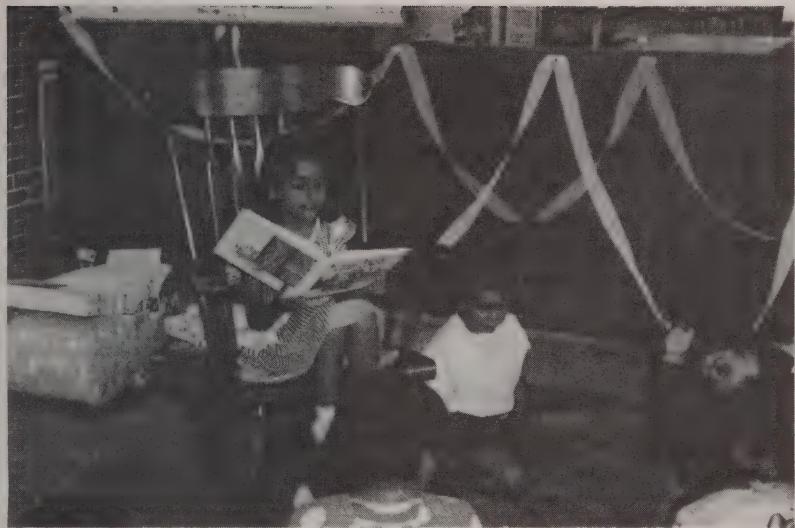
PreSchool StoryHour at Howland Green (Maria Jose Carvalho, Acting Branch Head) was conducted every Wednesday morning. In addition two neighborhood day care centers were serviced with Wednesday PreSchool Storyhours. Total attendance reached 950 for FY '92. The children were read to, did finger plays, & made a simple craft; for Halloween the children were invited to wear their costumes to storytime.

Wilks Branch (Olivia Melo, Acting Branch Head) undertook Sleepytime Storyhours on Tuesday evenings until December, and resumed in March. These storyhours supplemented Wednesday morning storyhours and proved very popular. For Halloween, the children were invited to wear their costumes. Fall storytime was so successful a waiting list for the winter session was necessary.

For the year, there were 170 storytimes for Preschoolers, with a total of 1,953 children in attendance.

"Dinosaur Days" was held in August and featured four papier mache dinosaurs made by children of the New Bedford school system. The dinosaurs were displayed at Wilks Branch (Tyrannosaurus Rex was over ten feet tall!) As a part of the program, children made their own iron-on transfer T-shirts and watched the film "The Land Before Time".

Preschool class visits occur throughout the year and are another important contact and introduction to the library system. This year visiting schools included Kennedy-Donovan Early Intervention Center, Knee-High Day Nursery, Rainbow Workshop, Little People's College, Congdon, Ft. Rodman Early Learning, Head Start and New Bedford Day Nursery. There were 37 classes visiting for a total of 715 preschoolers.



"Celebrate Your Birthday at the Library"
Melanie Pereira reading to the guests.



*Maria Jose Carvalho, reading stories
at the SEAFOOD FESTIVAL*



HALLOWEEN 1991 — Wednesday, 10:00 a.m. group



SPRING 1991 — Story Time Group
Olivia Melo, Storyteller — Wilks Branch

Gail Roberts' work as Coordinator of Youth Services included encouraging and arranging class visits to the library during the year. Schools visiting the library included: Hathaway, Carney Academy, Taylor, Parker, Congdon, Holy Family/Holy Name, Hayden MacFadden, St. Mary's, Dunbar, Kempton. In all, grades Kindergarten through 6, 76 classes visited the main library and the branches, for a total of 1,544 students. There were also visits from bilingual programs, after school programs and scout groups.

> Adult

Buttonwood Library was fortunate to be one of 40 libraries across New England to receive a grant, as a result of an application submitted by Ms. Pinho, from the National Endowment for the Humanities and the New England Foundation for the Humanities to provide a reading and discussion program entitled "Encompassing Columbus: Five Italian Lives". The five part series ran from April 9 to June 4.

A film program was run at Buttonwood during February; films were shown weekly, unfortunately the program had to be canceled in March due to staff shortage.

> Other Programs

- Happy Birthday at the library
- New Bedford Free Public Library at the Seafood Festival
- Halloween at the Library
- Observance of International Christmas
- Night of a Thousand Stars in recognition of National Library Week
- Preschool Story Hour Graduation
- Baseball Card Clinic
- Family Read-Aloud for National Library Week
- Stamp Collecting Lecture
- "Red Ribbon Week" for a Drug Free America
- "Meet the Author Rona Zable"

EXHIBITS & DISPLAYS

Various exhibits and displays were in evidence at all branches of the library system throughout the year. They included

- "Back to School"
- "Constitution"
- "Halloween"
- "Thanksgiving"
- "Holidays"
- "Black History Month"
- "Local History and Towns"
- "National Library Week"
- "Children's Book Week"

MEETING ROOMS USE

The meeting rooms, primarily at Buttonwood Community Branch, were used for a variety of meetings and events, including the Whaling City Tennis Association, the Election Commission,

The Orpheum Group, The Mayor's Office, Girl Scouts, PTA, Neighborhood Organizations, Crime Watch Groups, The Police Department, AARP, Political Candidates, The EPA, The Mayor's Drug Free Partnership, Polaroid Corporation, GED Class Group, and activities sponsored by the Library.

PROJECTS AND ACTIVITIES

The New Bedford Free Public Library annual Book Sale was held at Wilks Branch and was extended to one full week during the year. It was a considerable success, raising approximately \$1,300. These funds are used for the purchase of new books.

The *Standard Times* microfilm collection from 1932 on was moved from the Genealogy Room to the main floor where reference room staff could better oversee its use.

Label and Link. The bar coding of all books in the circulating collection was completed in November. In all 5,676 books were bar coded & approximately 7,047 books were linked in the computer from July through December. This year saw a dramatic decrease in the long-standing backlog and an increase in the solving of bar coding problems by the Technical Services staff. There was, as well, a sizable conversion of Portuguese Brief Records into Full Marc Records for Casa da Saudade books. This was done primarily by the Technical Services staff, Vicki Lukas Coordinator of Technical Services and Automation.

Audio-visual: The film program was reduced to being held at the main library only; the branch staffs could no longer handle this activity along with their normal activities. A short experiment with volunteers did not work.

The main library continued to assemble a biweekly collection for the Sacred Heart Nursing Home.

A circulation policy and procedure manual was compiled and distributed throughout the system. This was prepared by Theresa Coish, Head of Circulation Services and Carol Bellefeuille, Assistant to Head of Circulation. The purpose of the manual is for consistency of operations anywhere in the library.

TRAINING & CONFERENCES

The staff attended various SEAL committee meetings, including the cataloging committee meetings held to discuss and evaluate problems and their solutions related to using the computer system for cataloging.

Library Association Meetings were attended on a regular basis; New England Library Association (NELA) annual conference in October was attended; various NELINET workshops throughout the year were attended by representatives from the New Bedford Free Public Library.

Reference staff attended a number of workshops on new technology, collection development, & reference services. The library developed & conducted reference workshops for branch staff and circulation staff.

During this year there were visits to the New Bedford system from Cooperative Library Automated Network Librarians. Also visiting were members of the Automated Bristol Library Exchange (ABLE) networks to talk about the Dynix Automation System.

CIRCULATION STATISTICS

Statistics continue to prove the value of technology and the hard work of the staff. The tables included in this section demonstrate the recent trends in circulation, for the period from

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1988-1989 to this fiscal year. The statistics, provided by SEAL, show a system wide increase in circulation by 5.5% over the previous year, despite the fact that only the Buttonwood Branch remained open during the first four weeks of July, 1991.

Circulation Statistics For The Last Four Year Period				
Location	'88-'89	'89-'90	'90-'91	'91-'92
Main Library	120,006	124,305	131,352	139,958
Buttonwood	70,669	76,282	55,114	62,543
Casa da Saudade	40,252	38,845	28,607	29,781
Howland Green	37,203	41,810	31,483	34,904
Wilks	65,095	74,581	70,506	67,841
All Branches	*255791	*273947	185,710	195,069
Total System	375,797	398,252	317,062	335,027

*INCLUDES CIRCULATION FOR BOOKMOBILE WHICH WENT OFF THE ROAD JULY, 1990

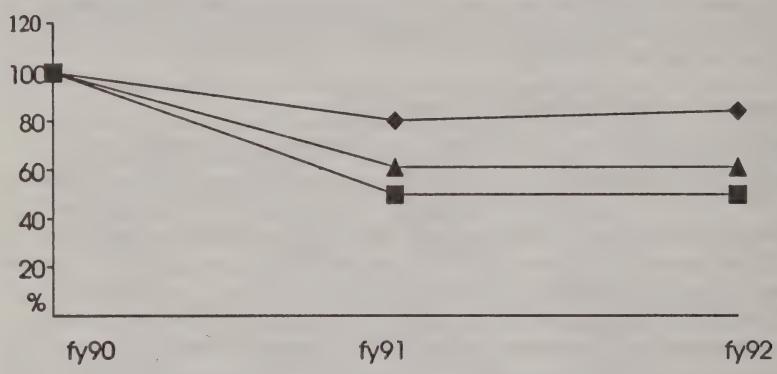
The total number of hours the library is opened has stabilized for much of the year at 152 hours per week, excluding the month of July. In 1990-1991, the time open was changed going from 136 hours to 152 hours per week. Previous years saw weekly hours in the range of 280 to 303 hours.

A similar breakdown of library card registrations for the last three years shows a marked decrease from two years ago. The last two years show a relatively stable level - but at a rate that is about 61% of the system in 1989-1990. Pure circulation statistics show a slight increase in the last two years (5.5%) but an overall decrease from the peak year of 1989-1990 of about 16%.

Library Card Registrations			
Location	'89-'90	'90-'91	'91-'92
Main Library	3,579	3,295	3,434
Buttonwood	1,469	630	630
Casa da Saudade	415	297	251
Howland Green	1,373	370	445
Wilks	1,438	1,017	864
Entire System	*9162	5,609	5,624

* DIFFERENCE REPRESENTS 888 CARD REGISTRATIONS TAKEN ON BOOKMOBILE

The number of hours available does not account for the decreased availability of staff hours to work. Although the main library is now open for 56 weekly hours and the branches for 24 weekly hours, there are fewer staff people than in the past to provide services. Although daily operations seem stable, the point of fact remains that much of the long range planning, collection



Graphic representation of drastic changes due to budget problems. Related as a percentage, using FY 90 as base year

▲ Library Cards
◆ Circulation
■ Average Hours

maintenance and building, and development issues are not being dealt with as they should and deserve to be.

COLLECTIONS DEVELOPMENT & MAINTENANCE

The automated system was used to select infrequently used materials for shifting from the public areas to the closed stacks. (SEAL catalog can indicate how often any book has been used since going on line in 1990).

The state and city documents collections were gathered into a single location and reorganized by subject to make them more accessible.

The federal documents collection was updated and all items of superseded materials were offered to the Boston Public Library before being discarded. This project is currently underway and is expected to be completed by the fall of 1992.

FINANCIAL

> Gifts

A significant change this year was the increase in the number of gift books (some new and some used but of significance to the library) that were added to the library's collections. In tight fiscal times, gifts are used to supplement the number of new books bought with normally budgeted library funds. Altogether 996 gift items were added this year.

> Grants

The New Bedford Free Public Library received the following special project grants:

1.	L. S. C. A. Title I Grants	
a.	"Start Them Early"	\$ 9,5000
	<u>Purpose:</u> service to pregnant and parenting teens, encouraging reading and library use	
b.	"Materials and Equipment for Contracting Libraries	\$16,333
	<u>Purpose:</u> to supplement the reference services department in areas where resources are shared with sub-regional libraries.	
2.	L. S. C. A. Title V Grant	
	"Foreign Language Materials Acquisitions"	\$35,000
	<u>Purpose:</u> to purchase Portuguese language material for the Casa da Saudade Branch.	
3.	Mayor's Drug Free community Partnership	\$ 3,000
	"You Are Significant"	
	<u>Purpose:</u> enhance in young people, from the Howland Green and Casa da Saudade neighborhoods, their feelings of self esteem through productive efforts for someone else. The 45 children involved, performed for nursing home residents at six locations throughout the city.	
4.	L. S. C. A. Title I Grant	\$12,200
	"Read To Me"	
5.	New Bedford Arts Lottery	\$ 500
	<u>Purpose:</u> cleaning and restoration of the Albert Bierstadt painting "Sunset Light"	

CONCLUSION

Limited budgets are a continuing sign of difficult times. The New Bedford Free Public Library as a system continues to do its best to provide quality and dependable service to its patrons. We are fortunate to have staff members who, although hard pressed, continue to provide professional service.

There must be no misunderstanding, for despite the cares and concerns of all those involved, the reality is that decreased budgets over the past years have amounted to critical disinvestment in the library system. No choice in difficult economic times is easy, and none has been made maliciously or casually. But sometimes short term solutions ("it's only for this year") become habit, as the path of least resistance is most easily followed. A "temporary" sacrifice becomes a permanent solution, rather than aggressively attacking an alternative sacrifice each time thus distributing the cost more evenly. Furthermore the extensive budget cuts the New Bedford Free Public Library has been asked to endure are managed by shifting all resources to meeting the immediate demand. So for a moment in time the patrons and city seem well served. The truth is that planning, collection development and maintenance, building maintenance, service programs, cultural programs, educational programs are all sacrificed. Thus at a time of hardship and great need, the very institution that is significant to the perpetuation and development of our society is collapsing from within. A library is not simply a shrine to books, it is the caretaker of all that is good in our culture. It

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is a great source of enjoyment. It is also the source of hope, the provider of tools for growth and enrichment.

The way out of many of our problems is knowledge, for knowledge provides the skills to change jobs, and change habits. Knowledge of our past provides pride that can sustain and dreams that can propel. Books provide knowledge, and increase self esteem, they entertain and enlighten. A library system is a great and powerful repository for the future - our future and our children's future. Let us renew our dedication to that institution, so that New Bedford's tomorrow will be as shining as her past.

TRUST FUND ACCOUNTS

JULY 1, 1991-JUNE 30, 1992

FUND NAME	ON HAND <u>6/30/90</u>	RECEIVED	EXPENDED	BALANCE <u>6/30/91</u>
Frederick S. Allen	\$ 167.48	\$ 37.24	.00	\$ 204.72
Philip & Roberta S. Barnet	970.54	853.90	1,171.71	652.73
Casa da Saudade	0.89	.00	.00	10.89
James B. Congdon	112.99	18.27	.00	131.26
George Crocker	1,586.19	606.93	.00	2,193.12
Oliver Crocker	215.57	37.24	.00	252.81
George Howland	179.94	.00	.00	179.94
Sylvia Ann Howland	5,791.28	9,986.87	12,796.23	2,981.92
Susan Jones	2,202.50	673.96	873.48	2,002.98
Kempston/Sarah Potter	13,783.39	27,350.01	34,836.00	6,297.40
Elizabeth Mackie	215.09	37.24	.00	252.33
Charles W. Morgan	169.98	36.24	.00	206.22
Bernard A. Perry	190.45	36.41	.00	226.86
Clara Tripp	1,589.51	1,543.98	1,058.63	2,074.86
Florence Waite	1,671.86	287.24	.00	1,959.10
Patty Wilcox	1,976.45	159.90	116.88	1,119.47
Wilks Fund	4,156.81	48,057.24	47,096.71	5,117.34
Charles Wood	273.33	1.85	.00	275.18
Total	\$ 34,364.25	\$ 89,724.52	\$ 97,949.64	\$ 26,139.13

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RECEIPTS FY92

Municipal Appropriation	\$731,626.00
FY92 MEG & LIG	128,051.25
Balances Brought Forward FY '91 MEG & LIG	739.28
Trust Funds	
Balance Brought Forward	\$ 34,364.25
FY '92 Income	89,724.52
Total available-Trust Funds	124,088.77
Grand Total	\$984,505.30

EXPENSES FY92

100 Account Salaries and Wages	\$612,620.00
200 Account Charges and Services	65,669.44
400 Account Supplies and Materials	48,774.80
Municipal Budget Subtotal	727,064.24
Library Incentive Grant & Municipal Equalization Grant used for salaries	109,211.64
Municipal Equalization Grant used for expenses	
#200 Charges & Services	-0-
#400 Supplies & Materials	-0-
Trust Funds	97,949.64
Balances Encumbered	
Library Incentive Grant \$	-0-
Municipal Equalization Grant	19,578.89
Trust Funds	26,139.13
Municipal Appropriation	4,464.80
Municipal Appropriation balance (not encumbered)	96.96
Subtotal	50,279.78
Grand Total	\$984,505.30

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EASTERN REGION RECEIPTS FY92

Eastern Massachusetts Regional Library Program \$153,951.00

EASTERN REGION EXPENSES FY92

Eastern Massachusetts Regional Program

100 Account Salaries and Wages	144,426.76
200 Account Charges and Services	1,435.23
400 Account Supplies and Materials	9,525.00
800 Capital Outlay	12,147.00
EMRLS Balance	16.23
Total	153,951.00

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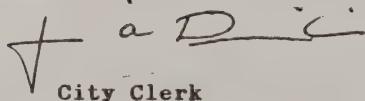
**New Bedford Free Public Library, submitting
Annual Report for the Fiscal Year 1992.**

IN CITY COUNCIL, August 19, 1993

Received and ordered printed in City Documents.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

Attest:


City Clerk

**ANNUAL REPORT
of the
PARK DEPARTMENT
for the
FISCAL YEAR
July 1, 1991
through
June 30, 1992**





CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
MASSACHUSETTS
PARK DEPARTMENT

Rosemary S. Tierney, Mayor

June 30, 1992

To The Honorable City Council:

The Ninety-Eight Annual Report of the Board of Park Commissioners together with reports on the Bath House, Playgrounds, Zoo and Militia under the jurisdiction of the Park Board, is herewith presented in accordance with the provision of the law for the period from July 1, 1991 through June 30, 1992.

The Board held seven regular meetings during the year. Organizing in May of 1991, William O'Brien was elected Chairperson and Inez Mello Secretary.

Buttonwood Park was once again the site for the Whaling City Festival held in July.

New Bedford High School used the baseball diamond at Buttonwood Park for the traditional rally and bonfire held before the annual Thanksgiving Day football game with Durfee High School.

Appropriations and expenditures for the entire year are shown in the various tables incorporated in this report.

The Board of Park commissioners thank the Mayor and the City council for their interest and encouragement. The Board also wishes to thank the Department Heads of the City who have contributed in any way to make the work of the Park Department a success.

Respectfully submitted.

William O'Brien
Chairperson, Board of Park Commissioners

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS

	TERM EXPIRES
JOSEPH DIAS	1993
VICTOR PINHEIRO	1994
RITA RIBEIRO	1995
INEZ MELLO	1996
WILLIAM O'BRIEN	1997

ORGANIZATION

CHAIRPERSON
WILLIAM O'BRIEN

DIRECTOR RECREATION/PARKS
BARRY MEUNIER

ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT
JOSEPH ARSENault

SECRETARY
INEZ MELLO

HEAD CLERK
JOYCÉ A. MELLO

PARK KEEPERS

JAMES MITCHELL - BROOKLAWN PARK
PAUL DAVIGNON - HAZELWOOD PARK

OFFICE OF THE PARK BOARD
BUTTONWOOD PARK COMMUNITY BUILDING
P O BOX 1804 - NEW BEDFORD, MA.

PARK DEPARTMENT -FINANCIAL STATEMENT

APPROPRIATIONS

Salaries and Wages.....	\$ 637,956.00
Transfer to Treasurers 200.....	5,600.00
Transfer to Veterans 200.....	85,000.00
Transfer to Election 200.....	11,100.00
Transfer to Police 200.....	14,000.00
Transfer to Park 200.....	33,700.00
Transfer to Park 800.....	15,700.00

General Expenses

200 Charges and Services.....	\$ 51,682.00
Encumbered Fiscal 91 Funds.....	260.00
Transfer from Park 100.....	33,700.00
Reimbursement from Hurricane Bob.....	13,554.00
400 Supplies and Materials.....	42,485.00
Encumbered Fiscal 91 Funds.....	7,261.00
Reimbursement from Hurricane Bob.....	3,194.00
800 Capital Improvements/New Equipment...	5,200.00
Reimbursement from Hurricane Bob.....	6,578.00
Credit.....	15,700.00
Emily's Building Fund.....	1,540.51
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	\$654,010.51

PARK'S ACCOUNT RECEIVABLES

Municipal Golf Course Lease.....	\$ 57,400.00
Paddle Boat Concession.....	1,000.00
Buttonwood Park Food Concession.....	2,500.00

PARK DEPARTMENT

EXPENDITURES

Office.....	\$ 58,030.38
Veterans' Memorial Park at Buttonwood.....	190,782.38
Buttonwood Park Zoo.....	13,309.45
World War I Veterans' Building.....	909.94
Greenhouse.....	12,833.16
Brooklawn Park.....	68,637.92
Hazelwood Park.....	85,625.80
Ashley Park.....	5,610.14
Harold H.J. Clasky Memorial Park.....	819.46
Christmas Lighting.....	276.11
Victory Park.....	5,255.59
Pulaski Park.....	1,971.29
Playgrounds.....	13,740.87
Whaling City Golf Course.....	695.24
Veteran Squares.....	2,048.77
Bath House.....	2,806.74
Athletic Fields.....	3,068.93
Hurricane Bob.....	114,301.24
Hurricane Dike Properties.....	2,464.04
Rifle Range.....	641.43
Encumbrance 200 Account.....	19,608.00
Encumbrance 800 Account.....	15,666.99
Emily's Building Fund expended.....	1,540.51
Unexpended Funds.....	33,366.13
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	\$654,010.51

PARK DEPARTMENT

OFFICE

PERSONAL SERVICES

Salaries.....	\$ 52,694.42
Longevity.....	500.00
Sick Leave Incentive.....	600.00

CHARGES AND SERVICES (200)

Rentals.....	448.39
Dues and Subscriptions.....	269.50
Advertising.....	101.30
Governmental Meetings.....	40.00
Repair/Maintenance of Public Property.....	568.60
Printing.....	233.84
Miscellaneous Services.....	23.94
In-State Travel.....	230.00

SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS (400)

Office Supplies.....	671.60
Automotive Supplies.....	81.63
Miscellaneous Supplies/Petty Cash.....	179.90
Repair/Maintenance Supplies.....	225.12
Janitorial Supplies.....	109.44
Gasoline.....	1,015.00
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	\$ 58,030.38

PARK DEPARTMENT

VETERANS' MEMORIAL PARK
AT BUTTONWOOD PARK

PERSONAL SERVICES

Salaries.....	\$138,900.98
Longevity.....	1,425.00
Sick Leave Incentive.....	450.00

CHARGES AND SERVICES (200)

Rental of Equipment.....	126.01
Dues and Subscriptions.....	195.00
Electricity.....	17,637.47
Natural Gas.....	10,666.77
Repair/Maintenance of Public Property.....	396.90
Hospital/Medical Expenses.....	2,251.14
In-State Travel.....	40.00
Repair/Maintenance of Office Equipment.....	129.50

SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS (400)

Office Supplies.....	4.99
Automotive Supplies.....	3,076.59
Stone/Concrete.....	1,022.91
Repair/Maintenance Supplies.....	1,573.29
Janitorial supplies.....	150.62
Gasoline.....	6,707.23
Painting Supplies.....	307.32
Tools.....	297.82
Hospital/Medical Supplies.....	28.84
Botanical Supplies.....	36.96
Fiscal 91 Encumbrance.....	780.35

NEW EQUIPMENT (800)

New Equipment.....	4,576.19
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	\$190,782.38

PARK DEPARTMENT

HAZELWOOD PARK

PERSONAL SERVICES

Salaries.....	\$ 71,639.63
Longevity.....	850.00
Sick Leave Incentive.....	0.00
Retirement Pay Off.....	4,084.44

CHARGES AND SERVICES (200)

Electricity.....	3,393.24
Natural Gas.....	1,427.33
Repair/Maintenance of Public Property.....	1,407.90
Hospital and Medical Expenses.....	221.50
Rental of Equipment.....	190.35
Miscellaneous Expense.....	125.00

SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS (400)

Automotive Supplies.....	724.28
Repair/Maintenance Supplies.....	420.41
Gasoline.....	1,021.85
Painting Supplies.....	45.82
Miscellaneous Groundskeeping Supplies.....	11.00
Medical Supplies.....	28.85
Chemicals.....	29.20

\$25,625.80

PARK DEPARTMENT

BROOKLAWN PARK

Personal Services

Salaries.....	\$56,742.27
Longevity.....	850.00
Sick Leave Incentive.....	300.00

Charges and Services (200)

Electricity.....	684.05
Natural Gas.....	441.52
Repair/Maintenance of Public Property.....	445.82
Hospital and Medical Expenses.....	1,944.26
Rental of Equipment.....	23.00

Supplies and Materials (400)

Automotive Supplies.....	2,189.76
Repair/Maintenance Supplies.....	803.04
Janitorial Supplies.....	34.96
Gasoline.....	2,487.56
Painting Supplies.....	221.80
Recreational Supplies.....	136.90
Chemicals.....	190.97
Hospital & Medical Supplies.....	28.85
Clothing.....	17.95
Sand and Gravel.....	1,095.26

\$ 68,637.97

PARK DEPARTMENT

GREENHOUSE

Personal Services

Salaries.....\$ 10,184.74

Charges and Services (200)

Repair/Maintenance Public Property..... 791.81
Fuel..... 1,562.35

Supplies and Materials (400)

Repair/Maintenance Supplies..... 294.25

\$ 12,833.16

ZOO AT BUTTONWOOD PARK

CHARGES AND SERVICES (200)

Workmen Compensation Settlement..... \$ 12,500.00
Fiscal 91 Encumbrance..... 10.00

SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS (400)

Repair and Maintenance Public Property..... 166.60
Vehicle Supplies - Gasoline..... 45.75
Vehicle Supplies..... 73.60
Stone/Concrete..... 492.11
Clothing..... 18.95
Fiscal 91 Encumbrance..... 4.44

\$ 13,309.45

PARK DEPARTMENT
HAROLD H. J. CLASKY MEMORIAL PARK

Charges and Services (200)

Electricity..... \$819.46

WORLD WAR I VETERANS BUILDING
AT BUTTONWOOD PARK

Charges and Services (200)

Electricity..... \$320.42
Natural Gas..... 533.67

SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS (400)

Repair/Maintenance Supplies..... 55.85

\$909.94

CHRISTMAS LIGHTING

SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS (400)

Repair/Maintenance Supplies..... \$276.11

PARK DEPARTMENT

BATH HOUSE

PERSONAL SERVICES

Wages.....	\$ 1,761.30
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CHARGES AND SERVICES (200)

Electricity.....	270.34
Natural Gas.....	131.28
Repair/Maintenance of Public Property.....	13.35

SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS (400)

Repair and Maintenance Supplies.....	235.67
Janitorial supplies.....	220.24
Paint Supplies.....	174.56
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	\$ 2,806.74

GENERAL CASIMIR PULASKI PARK

PERSONAL SERVICES

Wages.....	\$ 1,971.29
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VETERAN SQUARES

PERSONAL SERVICES

Wages.....	\$ 300.48
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SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS (400)

Stone/Concrete/Sand.....	1,612.29
Repair/Maintenance Supplies.....	136.00
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	\$ 2,048.77

PARK DEPARTMENT

RIFLE RANGE

PERSONAL SERVICES

Wages.....	\$ 223.28
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CHARGES AND SERVICES (200)

Electricity.....	\$ 217.15
Repair/Maintenance of Public Property.....	9.00
Printing.....	33.50
Miscellaneous.....	54.00

SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS (400)

Miscellaneous Supplies.....	104.50
	\$ 641.43

GOLF COURSE

CHARGES AND SERVICES(200)

Electricity.....	\$ 695.24
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HURRICANE DIKE

PERSONAL SERVICES

Wages.....	\$ 2,382.32
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SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS (400)

Repair/Maintenance Supplies.....	81.72
	\$ 2,464.04

PARK DEPARTMENT

ATHLETIC FIELDS

PERSONAL SERVICES

Wages.....	\$ 2,408.93
Dias Field.....	973.75
Lot 13.....	562.10
Fort Rodman.....	873.08

CHARGES AND SERVICES (200)

Repair/Maintenance of Public Property.....	660.00
	\$ 3,068.93

PLAYGROUNDS

PERSONAL SERVICES

Wages.....	\$ 5,452.84
Bonney Street.....	868.78
Monte.....	1542.26
Pine Hill Acres...	1279.52
Riverside.....	1018.96
Edward N. James...	370.06
Washburn Street...	138.80
Logan Street.....	234.46

SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS (400)

Repair/Maintenance Supplies.....	572.42
Recreational Supplies.....	3,775.83
Paint Supplies.....	75.87
F91 Encumbrance.....	3,863.91
	\$ 13,740.87

PARK DEPARTMENT

HURRICANE BOB

PERSONAL SERVICES

Salaries/Wages.....	\$ 86,568.53
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CHARGES AND SERVICES (200)

Repair/Maintenance of Public Property.....	13,069.65
Miscellaneous.....	19.65
Rental of Equipment.....	464.85

SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS (400)

Repair/Maintenance Supplies.....	5,118.03
Automotive Supplies.....	430.25
Miscellaneous Supplies.....	136.37
Tools.....	1,079.35
Clothing.....	179.74

\$114,301.24

PARK DEPARTMENT

ASHLEY PARK

PERSONAL SERVICES

Wages.....	\$ 2,308.78
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CHARGES AND SERVICES (200)

Electricity.....	562.93
Fuel.....	347.93
Advertisement.....	302.37
Repair/Maintenance Public Property.....	48.25

SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS (400)

Repair/Maintenance Supplies.....	1,532.99
Miscellaneous Supplies.....	506.89
	\$ 5,610.14

VICTORY PARK

PERSONAL SERVICES

Wages.....	\$ 3,344.43
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CHARGES AND SERVICES (200)

Electricity.....	554.10
Fuel.....	1,118.19
Repair/Maintenance of Public Property.....	54.00

SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS (400)

Repair/Maintenance Supplies.....	184.87
	\$ 5,255.59

PARK DEPARTMENT

EMILY'S BUILDING FUND

SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS (400)

Repair and Maintenance Supplies.....\$ 1,540.51

ZOO DEPARTMENT - FINANCIAL STATEMENT

APPROPRIATIONS

SALARIES AND WAGES.....	\$ 86,885.00
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GENERAL EXPENSES

CHARGES AND SERVICES.....	11,000.00
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SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS.....	15,390.00
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\$113,275.00

EXPENDITURES

SALARIES AND WAGES.....	\$ 85,581.49
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CHARGES AND SERVICES.....	7,985.53
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ENCUMBERED FOR FISCAL 93.....	3,014.47
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SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS.....	15,390.00
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\$ 111,971.49

UNEXPENDED

SALARIES AND WAGES.....	\$ 1,303.51
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BUTTONWOOD PARK ZOO

PERSONAL SERVICES

Salaries and Wages.....	\$ 84,981.49
Longevity.....	350.00
Sick Leave Incentive.....	250.00

CHARGES AND SERVICES (200)

Rental/Lease.....	1,992.19
Dues/Subscriptions.....	245.00
Pest Control.....	432.00
Repair/Maintenance Public Property.....	1,045.73
Hospital/Medical Expenses.....	3,791.51
Printing.....	36.60
Electricity.....	438.51
Miscellaneous.....	3.99

SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS (400)

Office Supplies.....	16.42
Automotive Supplies.....	1.76
Repair/Maintenance Supplies.....	112.54
Janitorial Supplies.....	357.56
Chemicals.....	1,229.69
Medical Supplies.....	181.87
Miscellaneous Supplies.....	11.07
Animal Feed.....	13,479.09
Forage.....	\$ 10,089.09
Fish.....	840.00
Hay.....	2,550.00

\$108,957.02

The Zoo at Buttonwood
Annual report: Fiscal year 1992

During the ninety-eighth year of operation the Zoo operated on half a budget from the City, with the rest coming from the Buttonwood Park Zoological Society. The society, using monies from the admission fees and the monies from the Adopt An Animal program assisted with the day to day financial support of the Zoo. They deposited these funds into a trust account established by the city and bills were reviewed by the Society before they were paid.

During the 1991 season the Zoo was visited and inspected by the Humane Society of the United States. One inspector, Ms Jane Denning, wrote a rather negative report on the Zoo which was sent to Parks Superintendent, Dana Souza. A meeting between the City and the Humane Society was established. After a bad start the two parties were able to work out details so that the Humane Society could assist the City and local Zoological Society in making the Zoo a better facility.

Educational programs were continued on a limited basis. Several schools, Nursing homes, private organizations and others were serviced by our facility.

The Buttonwood Park Zoological Society held several events at the Zoo. They held "Emily's Birthday Party", "Big Boo at the Zoo", and an opening day celebration. Their new event was the "Festival of Lights" during the Christmas season. This was a big event that was well received and they will do the "Festival of Lights" next year.

Other events held at the Zoo included the Recreation's Department's Easter Egg Hunt. The Zoo's smaller collection was also in attendance at Wareham's Blessing of the Animals. The Zoo earned radion time with WBSM, and WNBH and Captain Jack. A special event was held by Vanity Fair Factory Outlet, called "Zoo Olympics" and "Ma Raffa's" held a specialfund raiser night with part of the restaurant's proceeds going to the Zoo's budget.

The Zoo's animal collection increased by four Fallow deer, three white-tail deer, and one Aoudad. One Zoo animal enjoyed a longevity birthday, Needle's was ten years old (documented). On a sadder note, this was the first season that the Zoo did not have a wolf exhibit. Our lone wolf died from cancer.

The Zoo saw a change of administration. The Parks and Recreation Department were combined and Mr Barry Meunier was made the Director. On behalf of the Zoo, its staff, and myself I wish him well, and we all thank the Park Board, Park Office, and Maintenance folks for their continued support.

Respectfully submitted,

Karen McAfee Bramley
Karen E McAfee - Bramley,
Head Zoo Keeper

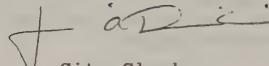


ANNUAL REPORT

Barry Meunier, Director of Recreation/Parks,
submitting annual report of the PARK DEPARTMENT for
Fiscal Year 1992.

IN CITY COUNCIL, June 10, 1993
Received and ordered printed in City Documents.
Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

Attest:


City Clerk

**NINETEENTH ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
BUILDING BOARD OF APPEALS**

NEW BEDFORD MASSACHUSETTS

JULY 1, 1991 - JUNE 30, 1992



BUILDING BOARD OF APPEALS AND ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

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March 8, 1993

City Council
City of New Bedford
New Bedford, MA 02740

Subject: Annual Reports of Building Board of Appeals and Zoning Board of Appeals.

Dear Members of the Council:

Enclosed is a copy of the Annual Report for the period of July 1, 1991 thru June 30, 1992, as noted above, submitted for your approval.

Very truly yours,

DONALD GOMES
Clerk/Zoning Board of Appeals

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BUILDING BOARD OF APPEALS

BUILDING BOARD OF APPEALS

City of New Bedford, Massachusetts

NINETEENTH ANNUAL REPORT

July 1, 1991 - June 30, 1992

**TO: City Council
City of New Bedford, MA**

The Building Board of Appeals submits its Nineteenth Annual Report for Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1992.

There were no cases submitted for consideration during this period.

Respectfully submitted,

Building Board of Appeals
Leon Halle, Clerk

BUILDING BOARD OF APPEALS

BUILDING BOARD OF APPEALS

PERSONNEL OF THE BOARD

JULY 1, 1991 - JUNE 30, 1992

Chairman	Richard H. Settele
Vice Chairman	Edmund Martins
Member	Archie Rebeiro
Member	Henry J. Bishop
Alternate Member - Clerk	Leon Halle
Alternate Member	Ralph Moore

BUILDING BOARD OF APPEALS

BUILDING BOARD OF APPEALS

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

JULY 1, 1991 - JUNE 30, 1992

Deposit Accounts:

Balance Carried Forward, June 30, 1992	\$254.82
Deposits	-0-
Expenses	-0-
Balance Carried Forward	\$254.82

**SIXTY-FIFTH
ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS**

NEW BEDFORD, MASSACHUSETTS

JULY 1, 1991 - JUNE 30, 1992





**CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
MASSACHUSETTS
BOARD OF APPEALS**

TO: City Council
City of New Bedford

The Zoning Board of Appeals submits its Annual Report for the year ending June 30, 1991.

Thirty-three (33) appeals, under the Zoning Ordinance, were received for consideration during the year. Seventeen (17) of these appeals were granted; Ten (10) appeals were granted with stipulations; Three (3) appeals were denied; Three (3) appeals were withdrawn without prejudice.

Special Permits:

Granted.....	One
Granted with Stipulations..	Two
Denied.....	None
Withdrawn.....	None

Total Special Permits heard - Three (3)

Variances:

Granted.....	Sixteen
Granted with Stipulations..	Eight
Denied.....	Three
Withdrawn.....	Three
Appealed to the Courts.....	One
Cease and Desist.....	One
Appeal to enforce the zoning regulations at Fort Rodman.....	One

Total Variances heard - Thirty (30)

A summary of the cases, with the actions of the Board is set forth in the following table.

Jack A. Carvalho
Chairman

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ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

BOARD PERSONNEL

JULY 1, 1991 - JUNE 30, 1992

CHAIRMAN	JACK A. CARVALHO
*VICE CHAIRMAN	RICHARD FONTAINE
CLERK	MURRAY GOLDBERG
MEMBER	BENEDICT J. HARRISON
MEMBER	DONALD GOMES
**MEMBER	FREDERICK MCLOUGHLIN
ALTERNATE MEMBER	RALPH LIDER

*RESIGNED MARCH 12, 1992

**APPOINTED MARCH 23, 1992



**CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
MASSACHUSETTS
BOARD OF APPEALS**

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

July 1, 1991 thru June 30, 1992

Balance Carried Forward	\$58,178.04
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Deposits	6,800.00
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EXPENSES:

Clerk-Stenographer/Full Time	\$12,361.38
Clerk-Stenographer/Overtime	427.44
Clerk-Stenographer/Temporary	4854.99
Clerk-Stenographer/Temp-Overtime	204.66
Postage	2297.88
Repair and Maintenance	797.10
Advertising	2156.67
Photocopies	12.72
Dues, Subscriptions	409.81
Stationery	31.65
Sundries	236.29
Petty Cash	51.98
Office Equipment	19.95
Board Members Stipend	2480.00
Other Expenses	272.00

TOTAL EXPENSES	<u>\$26,614.52</u>
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BALANCE	\$38,363.52
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BALANCE CARRIED FORWARD	\$38,363.52
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ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS JULY 1, 1991 thru JUNE 30, 1992

CASE	REASON FOR APPEAL	LOCATION	ZONING	DATE OF HEARING	ACTION
3117	To allow a lessee - Mainline Tire Company, 29 Cox Street, Acushnet, MA 02743, to store used tires	125 Sawyer St.	Mixed-Business	June 27, 1991 postponed to July 25, 1991	Variance Withdrawn Without Prejudice
3118	Appeal from cease and desist order of the Building Department	39 Sycamore St.	Residence B	July 11, 1991	Appeal withdrawn
3119	To erect an addition, a closed in loading dock 23'-0" x 50' -6½"	39 Brook St.	Industrial B	July 25, 1991	Variance Granted
3120	To erect apartments above garages using and not exceeding the same footprint as is presently on the lot	Cleveland and Clara St.	Residence B	July 25, 1991	Variance Denied
3121	To erect a garage	Edison Street	Residence B	August 15, 1991	Variance Granted *The garage would have to be built closer than 12 feet back from the property line. He can build no closer than 12 feet from the property line. The garage may be built to a point four feet from the North lot line
3122	To erect a garage	County St.	Industrial A	August 15, 1991	Variance Granted *The garage must not be built any closer than ten feet to any side structure on any side

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS JULY 1, 1991 thru JUNE 30, 1992

CASE	REASON FOR APPEAL	LOCATION	ZONING	DATE OF HEARING	ACTION
3123	To install an apartment on the third floor	16 Richmond St.	Residence B	August 15, 1991	Variance Granted
3124	To erect a single family dwelling	1133 Joyce St.	Residence A	September 12, 1991	Variance Granted *The house be built on the Northern part of the lot where the lot has a width of 58 feet.
3125	Appeal to enforce the zoning regulations on land located at Fort Rodman	Fort Rodman	Residence A	October 3, 1991	Appeal Denied
3126	To convert a doctors office into a fifth apartment	49 County St.	Business	October 10, 1991	Variance Denied
3127	To install a kitchen and bath on the third floor to make a third apartment	67 Taber St.	Residence B	October 10, 1991	Special Permit Granted
3128	To erect an addition 60'-0" x60'-0" to an existing building located 4-0' from the property line	513 Church St.	Industrial B	October 10, 1991	Variance Granted
3129	To convert an existing four (4) car garage into used auto sales	Cleveland and David St.	Residence B	November 14, 1991 tailed to December 19, 1991	Variance Granted *No junk cars or parts be stored out in the open on the property. No auto-body work will be done. A limit of 16 cars on the property
3130	To erect an addition of 16 feet to the present garage	18 Stephens St.	Residence C	November 14, 1991	Variance Granted

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS JULY 1, 1991 thru JUNE 30, 1992

CASE	REASON FOR APPEAL	LOCATION	ZONING	DATE OF HEARING	ACTION
3131	To erect a single or two family dwelling	w/s of James St.	Residence B	November 14, 1991 postponed to December 19, 1991	Variance Granted *For Single Family Dwelling
3132	To renovate a vacant store	117/119 Fair St.	Residence C	November 14, 1991	Variance Granted
3133	To alter the building so it can be used for seafood packaging and as a retail market	13 Brook St.	Industrial B	November 14, 1991 postponed to December 19, 1991	Variance Granted *For the sole purpose of repackaging scallops from 40 to 50 pound bags to retail size packages which may be sold on premises and be used as a retail market
3134	To erect two additions (1) 25'x40 (1) 102'x118 To subdivide into two (2) lots	405 Myrtle St.	Industrial B	December 19, 1991	Variance Granted
3135	To connect the two buildings to make one house	22-26 Holly St.	Residence C	December 19, 1991	Variance Granted
3136	To erect a block garage	487 Allen St.	Residence B	January 9, 1992	Variance Granted
3137	To convert a doctors office into two apartments	81 Ricketson St.	Residence B	January 9, 1992	Variance Granted
3138		49 County St.	Business	January 9, 1992	Special Permit Granted *Must have a means of egress where it abuts the apartments in the rear.
3139	To add a one (1) bedroom apartment on the third floor	148 Myrtle St.	Residence C	February 13, 1992	Variance Granted
3140	To lease office space to a doctor	263 Hawthorn St.	Residence A	February 13, 1992	Variance Denied

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS JULY 1, 1991 thru JUNE 30, 1992

CASE	REASON FOR APPEAL	LOCATION	ZONING	DATE OF HEARING	ACTION
3141	To alter third floor with minor changes and legalize a third floor apartment	63 Chancery St.	Residence B	February 13, 1992	Special Permit Granted *Must provide a minimum of two parking spaces, if possible three
3142	To rent the garages to persons to store vehicles or storing personal possessions	214 Whitman St.	Split Zone Residence C Business 6ft.	February 27, 1992 tabled to Mar 12, 1992	Variance Withdrawn
3143	To subdivide lots 56&57 that have existing buildings	17&23 Tarklin Hill Road	Business	March 12, 1992	Variance Granted
3144	To use existing structure for scallop repacking and cod fish drying	39 Brook St.	Industrial B	April 9, 1992	Variance Granted *To do scallop packaging only and no other type of fish handling or processing
3145	To a 12,800 foot building to use for a testing laboratory	Samuel Barnet Blvd.	Industrial C	April 9, 1992	Variance Granted
3146	To a 2500 square foot addition and use premises for congregate elderly facility	379 County St.	Residence A	May 7, 1992	Variance Granted
3147	To use existing garage building for auto body repair shop	74 Collette St.	Mixed Business	April 23, 1992	Variance Denied
3148	To erect a building 40'-0" x 50'-0" after removing 3 pigeon lofts of various size from the property	40 Collette St.	Industrial B	June 11, 1992	Variance Granted *To use the building for plumbing and material storage
3149	To erect an addition 49' x 17' -10" for wastewater pretreatment system	1066 County St.	Business	June 25, 1992	Variance Withdrawn Without Prejudice

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS JULY 1, 1991 thru JUNE 30, 1992

CASE	REASON FOR APPEAL	LOCATION	ZONING	DATE OF HEARING	ACTION
3150	To use the dwelling as a single family house with an in-law apartment. Apartment was built without permits. Petitioner wishes to legalize the in-law apartment.	146 Reed St.	Residence A	June 11, 1992	Variance Granted
3151	To use an existing concrete block building for limousine business office and storage area	100 Parker St.	Residence B	June 25, 1992	Variance Granted
3152	To erect a 3114 square foot addition	1654-1666 Acushnet Ave.	Business	June 11, 1992	Variance Granted

ANNUAL REPORT

**Building Board of Appeals, submitting
19th Annual Report
For The Fiscal Year
July 1, 1991 to June 30, 1992.**

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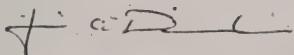
**Zoning Board of Appeals, submitting
65th Annual Report
For Fiscal Year
July 1, 1991 through June 30, 1992.**

IN CITY COUNCIL, March 11, 1993

Received and ordered printed in City Documents.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

Attest:



City Clerk

SIXTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL REPORT

of the

NEW BEDFORD PLANNING BOARD

New Bedford, Massachusetts

July 1, 1991 to June 30, 1992



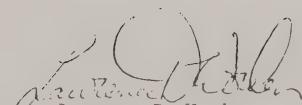
CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
MASSACHUSETTS
PLANNING BOARD

To: The New Bedford City Council
City of New Bedford, MA

The New Bedford Planning Board submits its Annual Report for the year ending June 30, 1992. Four (4) public meetings were held during the past year for the purpose of hearing the following petitions:

- 3 Petitions for proposed zoning changes;
- 0 Authorizations for resubmission to the Zoning Board of Appeals;
- 1 Amendment to the Code of Zoning Ordinances;
- 2 Chapter 91 recommendations for approval.

A summary of the petitions with the action of the Planning Board therein is set forth in the following table.



Lawrence D. Worden
SECRETARY to the BOARD

PLANNING BOARD

PERSONNEL of the BOARD

John K. Bullard	July, 1991 to January, 1992	Mayor and Chairman
Rosemary S. Tierney	January, 1992 to June, 1992	Mayor and Chairman
Richard F. Bohn	July, 1991 to May, 1992	City Planner/Chairman, ex-officio
Marc R. Rousseau	May, 1992 to June, 1992	City Planner/Chairman ex-officio
Paul Landreville		Building Commissioner/ Member
Lawrence D. Worden		D.P.W. Commissioner Secretary to the Board
Dr. David Constantine		Health Board/Member
Bruce Feno	July, 1991 to January, 1992	Park Board/Member
Joseph Dias	April, 1992 to June, 1992	Park Board/Member
Clr. Daniel Hayes	July, 1991 to December, 1991	
Clr. Kenneth M. Ferreira	March 1992 to December 1992	
Clr. James Sullivan, Jr.	July, 1991 to December, 1991	
Clr. Brian K. Gomes	March 1992 to December 1992	

Respectfully submitted,



Marc R. Rousseau
Chairman, ex-officio

PLANNING BOARD FINANCIAL STATEMENT

DEPOSITS

JULY 1, 1991 TO JUNE 30, 1992

Carried forward	1,031.85
Deposits	<u>125.00*</u>
Balance	<u>1,156.85</u>
Expenses Deposit Account	-0-

APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT

Advertising	651.38
Printing/Binding	426.50
Supplies	-0-
Photocopies	-0-
Dues	180.60
In-State Travel	-0-
Stenographer**	-0-
TOTAL	<u>1,258.48</u>

TOTAL EXPENSES

Balance Deposit Account	\$1,156.85
Balance Appropriation Account	1,258.48

Engineering work not included.

*Only one (1) filing fee of \$125.00 has been accepted by the Planning Board for deposit in the General Fund since February 25, 1991. All requests for zoning changes (with the exception of the fee for a zone change to be heard next fiscal year) have come through various City Councillors on behalf of their constituents.

**Stenographic services no longer used.

PLANNING BOARD
PETITIONS FOR ZONING CHANGES

Locations	From	To	Recommendation	Date of Hearing
1. Property within the "Braley Farms" subdivision, located on the east side of Braley Road to the west side of Route 140.	Residence B	Residence A	Recommended to GRANT	7/24/91
2. That the land bounded by Mount Pleasant St., Jones St. and Garcia St. to the eastern boundary of the Airport Industrial Zone be rezoned.	Residence B	Residence A	Recommended to GRANT	3/25/92
3. That the westerly portion of land on the east side of Emerson Street, from Kempson Street to Mill Street, be rezoned to a depth of 110 feet easterly.	Residence A	Business	Recommended to GRANT	4/22/92
4. That the Code of Ordinances, City of New Bedford, Chapter 9, Article II, Division 1, is hereby amended by adding the following section:			Recommended to GRANT	6/3/92

Section 9-207L. 1. Special permits for adult bookstores or adult motion picture theatres - Definitions.

As used in this section the following words shall have the following meanings:

"Adult Bookstore", an establishment having as a substantial or significant portion of its stock in trade, books, magazines, and other matter which are distinguished or characterized by their emphasis depicting, describing, or relating to sexual conduct or sexual excitement as defined in Section 31, Chapter 272 of the Massachusetts General Laws.

PLANNING BOARD
PETITIONS FOR ZONING CHANGES

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Locations	From	To	Recommendation	Date of Hearing

"Adult Motion Picture Theatre", an enclosed building used for presenting material distinguished by an emphasis on matter depicting, describing, or relating to sexual conduct or sexual excitement as defined in Section 31, Chapter 272 of the Massachusetts General Laws.

Section 9-207L. 2. Same - Special Permit Required

No building or buildings shall be used for an adult bookstore or adult motion picture theatre within any district, unless a special permit for such use is granted by the City Council in accordance with the following provisions.

Section 9-207L. 3. Same - Regulations.

(a) No special permit for use as an adult bookstore or adult motion picture theatre shall be granted for a building or buildings located within any residential district.

(b) No special permit for use as an adult bookstore or adult motion picture theatre shall be granted for a building or buildings located within a radius of five hundred feet of a residential district, a school, a church, another book store or adult motion picture theatre and an establishment licensed to sell alcoholic beverages under the provisions of Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 138, section 12.

Section 9-207L. 4. Some - Special Permit - Procedural Requirements.

Special permits shall only be issued following a public hearing held within sixty-five days after filing of an application with the City Council, a copy of which shall forthwith be given to the City Clerk by the applicant.

PLANNING BOARD
PETITIONS FOR ZONING CHANGES

Locations	From	To	Recommendation	Date of Hearing
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The City Council shall adopt and from time to time amend rules relative to the issuance of such permits, and shall file a copy of said rules in the office of the City Clerk. Such rules shall prescribe a size, form, contents, style and number of copies of plans and specifications and the procedure for a submission and approval of such permits.

The City Council shall act with ninety days following a public hearing for which notice has been given by publication or posting as provided in Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 40A, Section 11, and by mailing to all parties in interest. Failure by the City Council to take final action upon an application for a special permit within said ninety days following the date of the public hearing shall be deemed to be a grant of the permit applied for. Special permits issued by the City Council shall require a two-thirds vote. A special permit granted under this section shall lapse within one year, and including such time required to pursue or await the determination of an appeal referred to in Massachusetts General Law, Chapter 40A, Section 17, from the grant thereof, if a substantial use thereof has not sooner commenced except for good cause or, in the case of permit for construction, if construction has not begun by such date except for good cause.

Section 2.

This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 40A of the Massachusetts General Laws.

PLANNING BOARD
PETITIONS FOR ZONING CHANGES

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Locations	From	To	Recommendation	Date of Hearing
1480 East Rodney French Boulevard "Davy's Locker	Approval of revetment for Chapter 91 license	APPROVAL GRANTED	2/26/92 TABLED 3/25/92	
256 Herman Melville Boulevard New Bedford, MA	Approval of Chapter 91 Waterways License	PRESENT FULL PLANS AND FILE PERMITS FOR FUTURE WORK	4/22/92 TABLED	
256 Herman Melville Blvd. New Bedford,MA	Approval of Chapter 91 Waterways License		6/3/92 TABLED	

ANNUAL REPORT

*New Bedford Planning Board, submitting
Sixty-Seventh Annual Report
For July 1, 1991 to June 30, 1992.*

IN CITY COUNCIL, August 20, 1992

Received and ordered printed in City Documents.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

Attest:



City Clerk

**ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
CHIEF OF POLICE
FOR THE
CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
MASSACHUSETTS**



**FISCAL YEAR 1992
JULY 1, 1991 - JUNE 30, 1992**

Annual Report: Office Of The Chief Of Police

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To the Honorable Rosemary S. Tierney, Mayor
and the City Councillors of the City of New Bedford

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Herewith is submitted the Annual Report of the condition and doings of the Police Department from 01 July 1991 through 30 June 1992.

On June 30, 1992, the Department consisted of:

Chief of Police	1
Deputy Chief of Police	1
Captains	7
Lieutenants	12
Sergeants	28
Police Officers	<u>181</u>
TOTAL POLICE	230

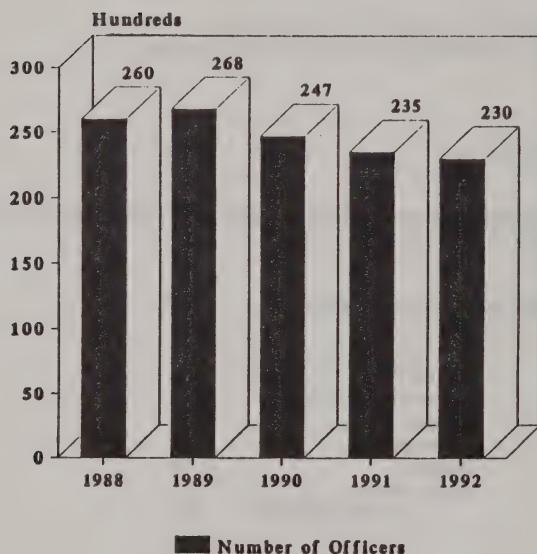
Detention Attendants	7
Telephone Operators	4
Head Clerk	1
Principal Clerk	1
Senior Clerk	1
Senior Account Clerk	1
Account Clerk	1
Clerk Typists	5
Head Custodian	1
Custodian	1
Motor Equipment Repairmen	2
Metal Body Worker	1
Garage Attendants	3
Parking Supervisors	2
Police Cadets	<u>13</u>
TOTAL CIVILIAN	44

Chief Richard A. Benoit
Richard A. Benoit, Esq.
Chief of Police

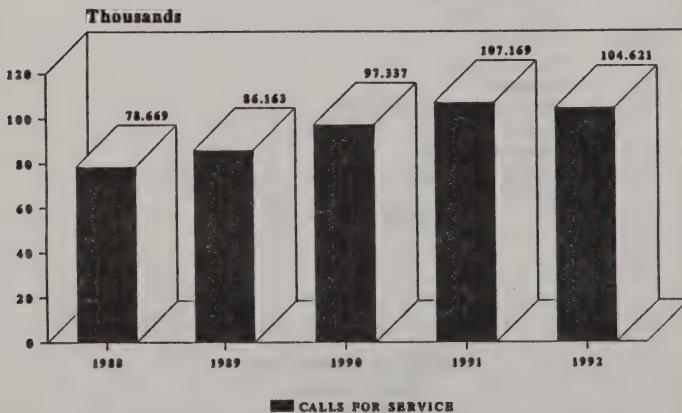
Annual Report: Office Of The Chief Of Police

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MANPOWER Five-Year Comparison



Calls For Service Five-Year Comparison



REPORT OF THE CRIMINAL RECORDS BUREAU

OVERALL DEPARTMENTAL ARREST STATISTICS

<u>OFFENSE</u>	<u>NUMBER</u>
Murder/Manslaughter	5
Manslaughter by Negligence	1
Forcible Rape	23
Robbery	87
Aggravated Assaults	251
Burglary	183
Larceny except M/V	243
Motor Vehicle Theft	133
Other Assaults	452
Arson	3
Forgery/Counterfeiting	5
Stolen Property-buy,receiving	14
Vandalism	69
Weapons-Carrying, possession	40
Prostitution	129
Sex Offenses ex rape,prostitution	78
Drug Violations	931
Gambling	3
Offenses against Family	45
Driving under Influence	175
Liquor Laws	120
Drunkenness	1,314
Disorderly Conduct	354
All Other Offenses	<u>1,138</u>
TOTAL ARRESTS:	5,796

Annual Report: Office Of The Chief Of Police

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REPORT OF THE CRIMINAL RECORDS BUREAU

<u>PART ONE OFFENSES</u>	<u>NUMBER OF OFFENSES</u>	<u>NUMBER ARRESTED</u>
Murder/Manslaughter	7	5
Manslaughter by Negligence	0	1
Forcible Rape	58	23
Robbery	394	87
Aggravated Assaults	896	251
Burglary	1,938	183
Larceny except M/V	1,998	243
Motor Vehicle Theft	<u>1,479</u>	<u>133</u>
SUB TOTAL:	6,770	926

Annual Report: Office Of The Chief Of Police

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REPORT OF THE DETECTIVE DIVISION

Arrests with warrants	142
Arrests without warrants	95
Individuals arrested	237
Total cases investigated	1,439
Property recovered	\$136,643.41
Cash	\$ 16,586.41
Merchandise	\$120,057.00
Cash given to City Treasurer	\$ 7,839.00

REPORT OF THE JUVENILE CONTROL BUREAU

Juveniles arrested on summonses	510
Juveniles arrested on warrants	51
Juveniles arrested	51
Total cases investigated	315
Stolen property recovered	\$ 1,500.00

REPORT OF THE BICYCLE ROOM

315 Bicycles reported stolen	value:	\$49,053.00
118 Bicycles recovered	"	\$11,800.00
84 Bicycle registrations	"	\$ 84.00
Cash given to City Treasurer		\$ 84.00

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REPORT OF NARCOTICS, ORGANIZED CRIME, AND VICE ACTIVITY

Arrests with warrants	72
Arrests without warrants	1,092
Persons arrested for:	
Narcotic offenses	747
Prostitution	118
Misc. offenses	227
Total arrest charges:	
Narcotic offenses	1,549
Prostitution	120
Misc. offenses	285
Cases investigated	483
Search warrants obtained	111
Weapons confiscated	28
Cash confiscated	\$107,023.00

During FY92 the Organized Crime Intelligence Bureau and the Street Crimes Unit were reorganized into Narcotics, Organized Crime, and Vice Acitivity (N.O.V.A.) The purpose of this change was to focus the Departments' drug eradication efforts towards street level drug dealers. The intent being to improve the quality of life of those persons directly affected by the daily disruption of drug dealers and their associated crimes. Two Neighborhood Enforcement Teams were established that were responsible for and responsive to their respective areas of the city. N.E.T. south covered the area south of Kempton Street; while N.E.T. north covered the area north of Kempton Street.

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REPORT OF THE FIREARMS IDENTIFICATION BUREAU

INDIVIDUAL LICENSES ISSUED

Licenses to carry firearms	490
Firearms Identification Cards	567
Rifle Range Permits	335

LICENSES AND F.I.D. CARDS REFUSED/REVOKED

Licenses to carry revoked	38
Licenses to carry refused	10
F.I.D. Cards revoked	51
F.I.D. Cards refused	18

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

Firearms confiscated	88
Training classes conducted	40
Local records checks	1,057
Board of Probation checks	1,057
Cash turned in to City Treasurer	\$14,284.00

REPORT OF THE IDENTIFICATION BUREAU

Fingerprint cards on file	38,875
Prisoners fingerprinted	506
Male	482
Female	24
Latent prints recovered	502
Prisoners identified through prints	48
Mug photos developed	2,505
Crimes scenes processed	291
Cash turned in to City Treasurer	\$ 525.00

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REPORT OF THE TRAFFIC DIVISION

AUTOMOBILE VIOLATION RECORD

	Other	Traffic	Hdqtrs	Sta#3	Sta#2	Void	Total
Parking violations		12,833	3,237	1,297	2,092	136	19,459
Citations	75		86	881	1,314	864	70
							3,290

RECOMMENDED DISPOSITIONS OF CITATIONS

Arrest	661
Court	1,185
Civil Infraction	1,331
Warnings	53
Voids	70
	3,300

MISCELLANEOUS TRAFFIC (DIVISION)

Hit and Runs (Traffic)	128
Hit and Runs (All Stations)	853
Hit and Runs cleared	130
Vehicles towed (Private)	151
Vehicles towed (Further Investigation)	3,702
Cases Investigated	897
Automobiles Certified for Overseas Shipment	20

AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS

	<u>July</u>	<u>August</u>	<u>September</u>	<u>October</u>	<u>November</u>	<u>December</u>
1991	422	483	436	482	398	433
	<u>January</u>	<u>February</u>	<u>March</u>	<u>April</u>	<u>May</u>	<u>June</u>
1992	386	335	356	396	429	391

Total Accidents: 4,947

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REPORT OF THE POLICE GARAGE

UNIT #	YEAR	MAKE	REGISTRATION	VIN	MILEAGE
10	1991	FORD	5589	2FACP72F8MX100591	24676
11	1991	FORD	5590	2FACP72F8MX100590	27002
12	1991	FORD	5591	2FACP72F9MX100596	35413
13	1989	FORD	1748	2FABP72F0KX171680	40782
14	1989	FORD	811	2FABP72F8KX171684	43433
15	1989	FORD	5325	2FABP72F5KX171674	3183
20	1991	FORD	5588	2FACP72F3MX100592	19940
21	1991	FORD	5586	2FACP72F5MX100594	35183
22	1989	FORD	5801	2FABP72F4KX171679	41643
23	1989	FORD	5314	2FABP72F2KX171681	27924
24	1989	FORD	5312	2FABP72F9KX171676	37852
30	1991	FORD	5587	2FACP72F3MX100593	24199
31	1989	FORD	6454	2FABP72F3KX171673	38208
32	1989	FORD	2374	2FABP72F2KX171678	50226
33	1989	FORD	805	2FABP72F0KX171677	42385
34	1989	FORD	5585	2FABP72F4KX171682	47268
35	1989	FORD	5324	2FABP72F7KX171675	30953
36	1989	FORD	5313	2FABP72F6KX171683	85960
37	1986	FORD	802	2FABP43F0GX157847	29726
801	1988	CHEVY	5323	1G1BL5162JR162766	20654
802	1988	CHEVY	5319	1G1BL5169JR162411	8277
803	1988	CHEVY	5714	1G1BL5168JR162450	21983
804	1988	CHEVY	5318	1G1BL5162JR162444	14862
805	1988	CHEVY	5717	1G1BL5160JR162748	6701
807	1988	CHEVY	5617	1G1BL5165JR162471	8505
CAPTDX	1988	CHEVY	857TXV	1G1BL5166JR162771	4416
CHIEF	1986	MERC	4	2MEBP95F7GX664201	4872

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REPORT OF THE POLICE GARAGE

UNIT #	YEAR	MAKE	REGISTRATION	VIN	MILEAGE
DX1	1988	CHEVY	867TXV	1G1BL5160JR163303	5509
DX10	1987	CHEVY	903RLV	1G1BL5164HX219345	8549
DX11	1988	CHEVY	943RLS	1G1BL5161JR163293	3786
DX12	1985	FORD	MP1626	2FABP43F8FX167752	5344
DX13	1988	CHEVY	124PIP	1G1BL5166JR162706	4968
DX14	1985	FORD	812IOX	2FABP43F4FX167747	2939
DX15	1987	CHEVY	302NOC	1G1BL5161HX219366	3464
DX16	1983	FORD	374DBA	2FABP43F8DB152789	3055
DX17	1984	FORD	384DBA	2FABP43F3EZ140791	2785
DX18	1987	CHEVY	993RMA	1G1BL5161HX219545	5435
DX2	1984	FORD	767285	1FABP43F5EZ140792	6033
DX21	1987	CHEVY	382PLX	1G1BL5169HX219356	8624
DX3	1987	CHEVY	312NOC	1G1BL5161HX219352	5066
DX4	1987	CHEVY	396RDY	1G1BL5164HX219359	5096
DX5	1988	CHEVY	386RDY	1G1BL5160JR162457	62582
DX6	1986	FORD	913LVB	2FABP43F4GX157852	7187
DX7	1987	CHEVY	785HPN	1G1BL5166HX219363	15922
DX8	1987	CHEVY	770035	1G1BL5166HX219348	5475
DX9	1987	CHEVY	322NOC	1G1BL5167HX219551	10126
HWYSAF	1982	FORD	808	2FABP31F9CB148231	5830
K91	1987	CHEVY	5592	1GNCT18RXH8199723	13895
K92	1986	FORD	523LVD	2FABP43F9GX157846	9474
K93	1986	FORD	817	2FABP43F4GX157849	15629
MC1	1988	HD	M123	1HD1EFL13JY110491	757
MC2	1988	HD	M124	1HD1EFL17JY110090	2464
MC3	1988	HD	M125	1HD1EFL17JY110087	2230
MC4	1988	HD	M3506	1HD1EFL13JY110507	1376

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REPORT OF THE POLICE GARAGE

UNIT #	YEAR	MAKE	REGISTRATION	VIN	MILEAGE
MC5	1966	HD	M122	66GE2012	726
NEWWAG	1989	FORD	5596	2FDKF38G7KCB09671	2220
OLDWAG	1975	FORD	1389	F27YEW02299	3582
OT1	1988	CHEVY	134PIP	1G1BL5161JR162404	10470
OT2	1991	FORD	971SKI	2FACP72F7MX100595	5615
PU	1983	FORD	1662	2FTEF26G8DCA35534	2957
SPARE1	1984	FORD	314PYK	1FABP43F6E2140784	1896
SPARE2	1983	FORD	813GSE	2FABP43F6DB152788	813
SWAT	1983	CHEVY	5320	1GPHP32MxD3316160	58
TRAFFC	1986	FORD	1625	2FABP43F7GX157845	5744
TRAIL	1987	EZHAUL	M38907	1J4MH12MH13000932	0
Total: Count:			65		1033907

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POLICE BUDGET - FISCAL YEAR 1991

APPROPRIATED:

100	Salaries & Wages	\$ 9,613,613.00
101	Encumbrance-Salaries & Wages	2,194.00
200	Charges & Services	434,000.00
201	Encumbrance-Charges & Services	0.00
400	Supplies & Materials	212,300.00
401	Encumbrance-Supplies & Materials	0.00
800	Capital Outlays	0.00
801	Encumbrance-Capital Outlays	0.00
		TOTAL APPROPRIATION:
		\$10,262,107.00

EXPENDED:

100	Salaries & Wages	\$ 9,779,739.22
101	Encumbrance-Salaries & Wages	2,193.80
200	Charges & Services	410,882.98
201	Encumbrance-Charges & Services	0.00
400	Supplies & Materials	195,877.58
401	Encumbrance-Supplies & Materials	0.00
		TOTAL EXPENDITURES:
		\$10,388,703.58

UNEXPENDED:

100	Salaries & Wages	\$ (166,125.82)
101	Encumbrance-Salaries & Wages	0.20
200	Charges & Services	23,117.02
201	Encumbrance-Charges & Services	0.00
400	Supplies & Materials	16,422.42
401	Encumbrance-Supplies & Materials	0.00
		TOTAL UNEXPENDED:
		\$ (126,586.18)

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MONEY TURNED IN TO CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE

PRISONERS LODGED:

Town of Dartmouth	\$ 1,550.00
Town of Fairhaven	1,050.00
Town of Acushnet	<u>300.00</u>
	\$ 2,900.00

INSURANCE CLAIMS PAID (DAMAGE TO CRUISERS)	11,917.69
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BICYCLE DIVISION:

Registration sold	\$ 84.00
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THIRD DISTRICT COURT (RESTITUTIONS)	1,731.73
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¹THIRD DISTRICT COURT (FINES)	338,894.84
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NEW ENGLAND TELEPHONE (PHONE COMMISSIONS)	97.28
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MISCELLANEOUS:

Overpayments	\$ 3,810.10
Officers overtime services	3,780.25
I.D. Bureau	525.00
Restitutions	568.46
Witness Fees	48.00
Rebate from purchase of paper	50.00
Copy of paperwork	48.96
Reimbursement - Drug Enforcement	2,028.75
Reimbursement - Liens	32,067.74
Rabies Clinic	277.00
Buy back lost sick/vac time	577.46
Sunday Opening Permits	<u>630.00</u>
	44,411.82

SPECIAL PAID DETAILS	66,284.79
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FIREARMS LICENSES	14,284.00
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PHOTOCOPIES OF POLICE REPORTS	17,650.05
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²PARKING TICKET FINES	231,128.00
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GRANTS:

Target Cities	\$ 64,998.00
Governor's Highway Safety	<u>10,000.00</u>
	74,998.00
TOTAL:	\$ 804,382.20

¹Fines are deposited directly to City Treasurer

²Fines are collected by the Traffic Commission

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NEW BEDFORD POLICE DEPARTMENT

ROSTER

CHIEF

Richard A. Benoit, Esq.

DEPUTY CHIEF

Robert J. Vital

CAPTAINS

Antone Botelho Jr.

Robert Devlin

Kevin Hegarty

Michael Holodinski

Richard Horn

Carl Moniz

Edward Wiley

LIEUTENANTS

Edmund Craig

Thomas da Costa

David Encarnacao

Leonard T. A. Hirst

Eugene Hebert

John Hoffman

Richard Netinho

David Provencher

Lewis Silvia

Antonio Soares

Ronald Teachman

Joseph Vincent

ROSTER

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SERGEANTS

Robert A. Andrade
Fredrick Anselmo
Gary Baron
Steven Blackburn
Fredrick Borges
William Born
Ronald Cabral
Francis A. Carr
Danny Chieppa
Paul Desrosiers
Alan Faber
Ernest A. Ferreira
John R. Ferreira
Thomas Flood
Steven Forand
William Furness
Kenneth Gifford
Ralph Gioiosa Jr.
Kenneth Monteiro
Stephen Oliveira
Manuel Ortega
Richard Spirlet
John Silva II
Jill R. Simmons
Frank R. Stykowski
James A. Sylvia
Joseph A. Sylvia
Steven Vicente
Melvin A. Wotton

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Sheila Adesso	Joao Chaves
Robert J. Aguiar	Paul Chaves
Robert P. Aguiar	Marjoie Clayton
Miguel A. Alejandro	Willie Coates
Osvaldo Alers	Thomas J. Conley Jr.
Ronald Alfonse	Don B. Cook
Marcelino Almeida	Joseph C. Cordeiro
George Ambra	David Correia
Henry Andrade Jr.	Robert J. Costa
Ann M. Arruda	John DaFonte
Shirley Arsenault	Antonio DeAlmeida
Donald Audette	Christopher Dextradeur
Leonard Baillargeon	Sheila C. Dolan
Cynthia Barboza	Ronald M. Doyon
Randal S. Barker	Norman Duchesneau
John D. Beaudoin	Christopher Dupont
William A. Beaudoin	Franklin Eccleston
Mark J. Bento	Bruce Edmundson
Armand W. Bergeron	Joe B. Escobar
Debra Binning	Albino Faria Jr.
Antoine J. Bonneau Jr.	Ronald Ferguson
George Borges	Elizabeth Fernandes
Kelly Botelho	Michael W. Ferreira
Laurent D. Boucher	Richard E. Ferreira
Paul J. Boudreau	Casille Fonseca
Robert Brown	Ronald Frenette
Albert E. Buckles Jr.	Walter Gaj
Nancy Canastrra	Gilbert Galarza
John Catterall	Alfred J. Galipeau
Karyl A. Chartier	Pauline Garcelon

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Carla S. Garcia	James Jorge
Gordon Garcia	Suzanne Jorge
Joseph B. Garcia	Joseph Krisnosky
Robert Gearhart	Stephen Laboa
James A. Giammalvo	David R. Lagasse
Jean Gomes	Charles E. Lajoie Jr.
Robert P. Gonnerville	Michael P. Lajoie
Ricardo Gonsalves	Bredford J. Leal
Bienvenido Gonzales	Paul H. LeClair
Kenneth Gormley	Ned K. Leduc
Arthur Goulart III	Anthony Lessa
Sandra Grace	Barbara Lipsett
Gardner B. Greany	David M. Lizzotte
Stephen G. Greany	Joseph Lopes
William L. Grovell	Russell Lavoie
Frank H. Guzaj	Lynda Lee MacDonald
Carlton Haworth	Bruce E. Machado
Dennis Hebert	Bryan F. Machado
Stephen Hebert	Michael Martin
Ronald Hebert Sr.	Adrian M. Medeiros
Joseph J. Hinchliffe	Leroy Medeiros
Tom S. Hodziewich	Norman Medeiros
Robert H. Holmes	Russell C. Mello
James L. Houghton	Amancio Melo
Henry V. Jackson Sr.	Segisfredo Melo
David Jesus	Antonio Mendes
Michael Jesus	Allen E. Mills
Valerie L. Jones	Joseph Moniz III
Daisy Jorge	Richard J. Moniz
David Jorge	Darrell Monteiro

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Victor A. Morgado	Francisco Rodrigues
Carl S. Morin	Robert Rose
Leonard C. Mota	David Roy
Richard A. Netinho	Manuel Rozario
Richard C. Nobre	Paul J. Rozario
Martin Novia	Laurent St. Jean
Michael J. O'Brien	Claudia A. Sampson
Carol A. O'Shea	August M. Santos
Terrence J. O'Shea	Sylvester D. Santos
Kenneth C. Offley	Anthony Silva
Luis A. Ortiz	Elaine Silva
Roger R. Ouellette Jr.	Bradford Simmons
Raymond R. Ouimette	Gregory Sirois
Albert J. Pacheco	Gary Smith
Ronald Pacheco	Mark H. Stone
Bradford E. Paiva	William Stowell
Michael J. Paiva	Scott D. Sylvia
Charles P. Perry	Victor Tavares
William M. Perry	David Tetreault
Kenneth J. Pimental	Thomas Thomas
Jon Pollard	David M. Turgeon
Annmarie Poyant	Henry A. Turgeon Jr.
Bill Ramsey	Raymond Vieira
Cesar R. Rebelo	Roland R. Vigeant
Anthony Reis	Jonathan Weedall
Ricard Rezendes	Heidi A. Widenski
Rita M. Ribeiro	Kristofer R. Winterson
William W. Rice	
Wayne M. Rijo	
Raymond J. Rock Sr.	

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POLICE CADETS

Stacy Amaral	Jason Hebert
Dionne Arruda	Ronnie Pacheco
Michael Carrier	Paul Pires
Marc R. Duphily	Julio Riveria
Scott Greany	Paul Silva
Louie Luiz	Sean Wiley

CLERKS

Cynthia Aguiar	Senior Account Clerk
Jacquelin Bairos	Principal Clerk
Lisa Ferreira	Clerk Typist
Gladys Fournier	Head Clerk
Laureen Frye	Clerk Typist
Eileen Perry	Senior Clerk
Linda Poyant	Clerk Typist
Deborah Santos	Clerk Typist
Dolores Souza	Clerk Typist
Paula Vasconcellos	Account Clerk

DETENTION ATTENDANTS

Gunda Andrade	Ann G. Oliveira
Georgia Conley	Michael Pacheco
Jane Grynowicki	John Silva
Patrick Lawrence	Heather St. Pieire

DOG OFFICER

Linda Souza

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CUSTODIANS

Roger Botelho	Custodian
Henry Poirier	Senior Custodian

TELEPHONE OPERATORS

Brenda Amaral (intermittent)	Mildred Kean
Robert Braz	Charlene Nelson

GARAGEMEN

Joseph Bettencourt	Garageman
Felix Hodziewich	Motor Equip. Repairman
Richard Langevin	Motor Equip. Repairman
Mariano Medeiros	Garageman
Thomas Tavares	Garageman

PARKING SUPERVISOR

Emily Lima

METAL WORK AND PAINT

Wayne Wilson

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YEARLY ACTIVITIES

APPOINTMENTS

POLICE CADETS		
	Stacy Amaral	25 August 1991
	Marc Dumphily	13 April 1992
	Jason Hebert	13 April 1992
	Louie Luiz	13 April 1992
	Sean Wiley	13 April 1992
DETENTION ATTENDANT	John Silva	01 January 1992
SENIOR CLERK	Eileen Perry	16 September 1991

PROMOTIONS

LIEUTENANT	Thomas daCosta	12 January 1992
SERGEANTS	Danny Chieppa	24 May 1992
	Thomas Flood	24 May 1992
	Stephen Oliveira	24 May 1992
	Joseph Sylvia	24 May 1992

RETIREMENTS

LIEUTENANT	Thomas J. Conley	27 June 1992
SERGEANTS	Roger Chevalier	04 May 1992
	Kenneth Monteiro	02 June 1992
OFFICERS	Lawrence Eccleston	24 January 1992
	Robert Rose	07 May 1992
	Jack Wright	09 December 1991

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YEARLY ACTIVITIES

RESIGNATIONS

POLICE CADETS	Melissa Carter	24 August	1991
	Bonnie Escobar	17 November	1991
	Jason Hebert	02 June	1992
	Jeffery Silva	13 June	1992
	John Silva	28 January	1992
	Shawn Thomas	01 December	1991
	Henry Turgeon	02 June	1992
PARKING SUPERVISOR	Aida Costa	09 March	1992

TERMINATIONS

OFFICER	Osvaldo Bermudez	30 December 1991
CLERK TYPIST	Lori Barriteau	13 September 1991

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
MASSACHUSETTS

PURCHASING DEPT.

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CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
MASSACHUSETTS

PURCHASING DEPT.

March 1 1993

The Honorable Mayor and City Council
Municipal Building
New Bedford, Massachusetts 02740

Your Honor and Members of the City Council:

Submitted herewith are the schedules of expenditures,
requisitions, and contracts for the City of New Bedford
Purchasing Department from July 1, 1991 to June 30, 1992.

Respectfully submitted;

Charles J. Tarpey
Purchasing Agent

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
Purchasing Department
Report

July 1, 1991 - June 30, 1992

The following pages are a summary of the Purchasing Department function pertaining to the schedule of requisitions, contracts, and postage operation for fiscal year July 1, 1991 through June 30, 1992.

Operating Expenses:

Salaries and Wages	\$ 38,137.39
General Expenses	\$106,663.79
Operating Expenses	<u>\$144,801.18</u>

Purchasing Department functions:

Operating Expenses	\$ 144,801.18
Purchasing Commitments	\$2,327,248.62
Contract Commitments	\$7,667,423.04
Postage Operation	\$ 102,342.11

Requisitions Processed	16,112
Number of Purchases	15,963
Number of Contracts	128

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
 Purchasing Department
 Summary of Requisitions
 July 1, 1991 - June 30, 1992

AGENCY	NO. OF REQUISITIONS
Airport	240
Assessors	133
Auditor	21
Building	340
Cemetery	173
City Clerk	81
City Solicitor	194
Civil Defense	138
Clerk of Committees	25
Conservation Commission	9
Council on Aging	98
Election Commission	46
Electronic Data	55
EMS/Communications	413
Fire	984
Health	257
Labor Relations	82
Library	463
Licensing	25
Mayor	130
Mayor's Office of Human Services	5
Park	582
Planning	89
Police	912
Public Works	2267
Purchasing	84
Recreation	76
School	4487
School/Federal	1816
School/Food Service	212
Traffic	140
Treasurer	193
Water	1087
Weights and Measures	8
Wire	160
Veteran's Benefits and Services	62
Zoning Board	23
Cable Agent	2
Total	16,112

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
Purchasing Department

Summary of Requisitions

Community Development
July 1, 1991 - June 30, 1992

AGENCY	NO. OF REQUISITIONS
Community Development Administration	22
Economic Development	4
Cultural Development	6
Housing and Neighborhood Development	33
Human Services	3
Office of Equal Opportunity	6
Publications/Senior Scope	5
Supportive Recreation	3
Total	82

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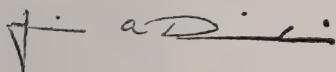
Purchasing Department, submitting Annual Report for Fiscal Year 1992.

IN CITY COUNCIL, February 25, 1993

Received and ordered printed in City Documents.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

Attest:



City Clerk

**ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
NEW BEDFORD
PUBLIC SCHOOLS**

**FISCAL 1992
NEW BEDFORD, MASSACHUSETTS**

**ROSEMARY S. TIERNEY
CHAIRPERSON, EX-OFFICIO**



Rosemary S. Tierney
Chairperson, Ex-Officio

SCHOOL COMMITTEE 1991-1992
Terms Expire January 1, 1994



Atty. Thomas R. Hunt
74 Gifford's Lane



Margery "Ruby" Dottin
33 Nashua Street



Joaquim Nobrega
18 Tremont Street

Vice-Chairperson 1992

Terms Expire January 1, 1996



Ronald J. Walsh
11 Longview Road



Carlos Pacheco
272 Lafayette Street



Atty. J. Mark Treadup
560 Middle Street

Vice-Chairperson 1991

**SCHOOL REPORT
OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT
NEW BEDFORD PUBLIC SCHOOLS**

Honorable School Committee
New Bedford Public Schools

Dear Mayor Tierney, Mrs. Dottin and Gentlemen:

In accordance with the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts (Chapter 72, Section 4) and the official policy of the New Bedford School Committee, I have the honor of submitting the one hundred and thirty first annual report of the New Bedford School Department for the period July 1991 through June 1992.

District Goals adopted for the school year included the following:

1. To continue to monitor the drop-out rate and coordinate efforts to reduce it.
2. To continue to upgrade our physical plants.
3. Further develop the Mainstream-Inclusion concept of Special Education at all levels.
4. Totally maximize the Least Restrictive Environment and Modification of the Regular Program.
5. To pilot social studies textbooks at the elementary grade level during the 1991-92 school year for selection and implementation in the 1992-93 school year.
6. To continue to maintain our high standards and monitor the curriculum to assure students a quality education.
7. To complete the third (3rd) year re-assessment of asbestos under provisions of AHERA
8. To begin preparation for self-evaluation at New Bedford High School prior to accreditation.

1. DROP-OUT RATE - The New Bedford School Department continues to provide a wide variety of programs to reduce the drop-out rate. During the 1991-92 school year, the School Department was awarded a federal competitive grant for drop-out prevention.

The Mass. Dept. of Education has changed the definition of a "drop-out". We are now required to count repeat leavers and specific guidelines regarding drop-outs have been furnished for the first time to provide uniformity throughout the state. As a result of these changes, our drop-out rate is 6.04%, which shows an increase of .5 of 1%.

If we extract the 46 pupils who are repeat leavers, our drop-out rate would be 5.2%, showing a decrease of .34 of 1%. We will use the 6.04% drop-out rate as our new base for future comparisons.

For the tenth (10th) year in a row, we had more students graduating from our Evening High School Program, the Adult Diploma Program, and the GED Program than dropped out of school.

2. UPGRADE OF PHYSICAL PLANTS - new oil burners were installed at the Brooks and Campbell Schools as well as having the oil tanks cleaned out. A new gas boiler was installed at the Ottiwell and the old oil tank was removed. The Phillips Avenue School was converted to #2 oil and had its oil tanks cleaned. The roof was replaced at Swift School.

During the past year, the Swift and Ashley interiors were refurbished and most of the Congdon was painted. Parapet flashing was replaced from the auditorium area south to the end of the NBHS building. Boiler tubes were replaced and refractory work was done on our boilers. Regular maintenance continued at all our schools, and it has resulted in a general upgrading of our buildings.

3. MAINSTREAM - INCLUSION CONCEPT - we continue to implement the mainstream inclusion concept at all levels. Pre-School and K-1 integrated classes are ongoing and the opening of a pre-school integrated center in September of 1992 complements our existing efforts. Commonwealth In-Service Grants have been utilized to train not only Special Education teachers but regular classroom teachers as well. Six (6) new Building Based Support Teams have been developed.

4. LEAST RESTRICTIVE ENVIRONMENT AND MODIFICATION OF THE REGULAR PROGRAM - SPECIAL EDUCATION - through the team process, the least restrictive environment is implemented through an appropriate individual educational plan. Modification of the regular program must be implemented for a six week period prior to referral to special education. The modification form indicating changes made to the regular form must be submitted. Several in-service programs trained regular and special education teachers regarding this process.

5. SOCIAL STUDIES TEXTBOOKS - five publishing companies submitted social studies textbooks to be piloted during the 1991-92 school year. A teachers' textbook committee reviewed the textbooks piloted and selected for adoption the Silver-Burdett series which will have a 1993 copyright edition.

6. CURRICULUM - high standards were maintained through the continuous monitoring of the curriculum by our department heads and school principals. Standardized tests indicate that we are exceeding expectations and grade levels.

7. ASBESTOS RE-ASSESSMENT - the third year re-assessment of asbestos under AHERA was completed. State authorities complimented the New Bedford Public Schools and the Supervisor of Custodians for the systematic keeping of the plans and the updating of records of abatement and removal.

8. SELF-EVALUATION - NBHS - the NBHS staff began to prepare itself for self-evaluation and accreditation. Committees were formed, the philosophy was reviewed and the curriculum revised and updated. The full self-evaluation process will be undertaken during the 1992-93 school year.

The achievements of the past year would not have been possible without the support and cooperation of a most competent staff. The professional commitment and dedication of our teachers and administrators have been major factors contributing to this success.

I appreciate greatly the confidence and support given to me by the School Committee during the past year. Their contribution of time, energy, and effort have all been in the best interests of the students, staff and citizenry of the City of New Bedford. Each member of the School Committee is to be commended for his/her commitment to the betterment of the New Bedford Public School System.

Respectfully yours,

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Superintendent of Schools

ANNUAL REPORT
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Elementary Education

ELEMENTARY CURRICULUM

The elementary curriculum, which is constantly monitored and updated, has undergone extensive revision in recent years. The fiscal crisis in Massachusetts has restrained the accelerated pace the New Bedford Public Schools has been making in curriculum revision.

To maintain our high standards and to provide students with the best possible education, it was deemed necessary to review and pilot the most current materials in social studies. As a result, thirty-seven classroom teachers volunteered to be on a committee to review, pilot, and select the best materials for use in our schools. The teachers piloted materials from five publishing companies, and in May 1992 selected the Silver Burdett and Ginn Publishing Company materials for our students. With the rapid changes taking place in the world, Silver-Burdett and Ginn updated and revised their materials with a 1993 copyright. This latest version was ordered to be implemented into the curriculum during the 1992-93 school year.

The Massachusetts Basic Skills Testing Program for grades 3, 6, and 9 was eliminated due to the fiscal constraints in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. Students in grade 6 were administered the Stanford Achievement Test in the spring of 1992. The expected score on this standardized test was 6.7 (sixth year, seventh month). The scores achieved by our sixth graders continue to improve from year to year. The noteworthy results achieved were: Reading 7.1, Language 7.1, and Mathematics 8.0.

New Bedford educators are to be commended for their dedication and hard-work. Their commitment to the educational process is the foundation for the success of our students and our school system.

CHAPTER 1 PROJECT LIFT

New Bedford's FY'92 Chapter 1 Project LIFT Program served approximately 3,015 students with a budget of \$5,062,106. The project provided service to educationally disadvantaged students in 14 elementary target area schools, all three junior highs and the high school. Students in five non-public schools who resided in eligible attendance areas were serviced by Chapter 1 staff in mobile vans.

Project LIFT offered supportive service to students in the following grades and subjects:

Pre-School & Kindergarten	- Language Development, Readiness & Social Skills
Grades 1 - 6	- Language Arts
Grades 7 - 8	- Language Arts/English & Mathematics
Grades 9 - 10	- Language Arts/English & Mathematics/CCP

Students from eligible elementary attendance areas were served in six self-contained Chapter 1 PreSchool classrooms in separate A.M. and P.M. sessions. Selected kindergarten students were provided service by a para-professional under the direction of a teacher during their assigned class session. At the elementary level, the "pull-out" model was used at Brooks, Campbell, Carney Academy, DeValles, Dunbar, Gomes, Hannigan, Hayden-McFadden, Kempton, Mt. Pleasant, Ottiwell, Parker (in grades 4-6), Phillips Avenue, Rodman and Pulaski (magnet Chapter 1 eligible students only) to service eligible students. In addition, the HOTS (Higher Order Thinking Skills) Program was instituted at Hannigan, Ottiwell, Brooks and Hayden-McFadden for selected students in grades 4, 5 and 6. Dunbar, Kempton and Parker (grades 1-3) implemented services using the "in-class model." The secondary level used the "replacement" model to schedule students for Chapter 1 instruction.

The project's Computer Program Developer assisted teachers in the integrated use of computers at all levels in order to enhance and expand the instructional offerings to our students.

This year a planning program was incorporated into the elementary component. Its purpose was to develop cooperative teaching between Chapter 1 and LEA, and to provide enriching language experiences for students. Four itinerant planning teachers served LEA classes on a monthly basis. Their lessons presented students to quality children's literature and the creative writing process.

In addition to the direct academic services offered to students, the Chapter 1 program has continued to be a source of support to parents in order to establish that very necessary home/school link. Our Parent Education Specialist offered parents many workshops on a wide variety of topics. Classroom visitations and volunteer programs, along with "At Home" Reading Programs, Parent Informational Newsletters and Monthly

Activity Calendars all helped to build a positive relationship with parents. Chapter 1 Week, a parent open house week, and the Guest Reader Program were expanded this year to include a larger number of parents and community members. Two home visiting teachers also worked with parents of preschoolers and kindergarten students to help assure early positive parent intervention. Chapter 1 continues to encourage and support the learning team - students - parents - teachers - in order to provide quality educational programs.

CHAPTER 636 MAGNET EDUCATION PROGRAM

New Bedford's Chapter 636 Magnet Education Program, in its continuous effort to foster integration and reduce minority isolation, received \$296,557 in state funds for the 1991-1992 school year. Monies continued to provide services at the three Magnet elementary schools, Sgt. William H. Carney Academy, Alred J. Gomes School, and Casimir Pulaski School, and the Advanced Learning classes for grades 4-6 housed at Carney Academy and the Gomes School.

The Magnet program was also awarded \$453,475 from the Federal Magnet School Assistance Program. This grant, given by the Federal government, provided funds for a computer teacher at all three Magnet schools, a media teacher at Carney, a career center teacher at the Gomes, and a science and an art teacher at Pulaski. With these funds, computers were purchased to update each computer lab, and staff development training was provided for teachers.

Newly established and also paid for under Federal funds, is an extended day program at the Pulaski and Gomes schools. This program provides remedial and enrichment programs to students one hour before school and two hours after school four days per week. This program has been very successful and positively received by teachers, students and parents. It will be mentioned in the back-to-school edition of *Family Circle Magazine*.

The Parent Information Center, located at the Paul Rodrigues Administration Building, continued to recruit and register new Magnet students and disseminate information to parents regarding Magnet School educational opportunities. This year, 359 of New Bedford's pupils transferred into Magnet Schools and 120 into Advanced Learning classes to take part in the special thematic programs offered at each site.

A major goal of the Magnet Education program this year was to provide partnerships for each of the Magnet schools. This project has been very successful with the following partnerships in place:

Sgt. Carney Academy	- The Standard Times Channel 13 U of Mass. Dartmouth
Alfred J. Gomes	- Com Electric Dartmouth Builders Supply Citizens' Bank of MA
Casimir Pulaski	- Polaroid Dartmouth Children's Museum

MAGNET SCHOOL COMPONENTS

Sgt. William H. Carney Academy

Theme: COMMUNICATIONS

Students at Sgt. Carney Academy Magnet School, in grades 1 - 6, write everyday. The Sgt. Carney Academy Computer Lab is utilized as a tool to help learn the techniques of the writing process.

Writing also paves the way for participation in taped radio programs, video programs, and the school newspaper, *The Mustang News*. All students at Carney Academy participate in the publication of the literary magazine, *Voices from Sgt. Carney Academy*.

With the money from the Federal Grant, Carney Academy now offers a weekly news show transmitted on closed circuit television, Channel WHCA. Students write their own scripts as well as take part in the presentation of the news show.

Alfred J. Gomes School

Theme: COMPUTER TECHNOLOGY/PREPARATION FOR LIFE

All students at the Alfred J. Gomes Magnet School are involved in the Barnstable Career education model - Project B.I.C.E.P. By completing a variety of career oriented activities related to all areas of the elementary curriculum, students infuse career awareness into the regular curriculum, thereby building self-concepts, interpersonal skills, attitudes toward the dignity of work, skills in decision making, planning and problem solving, knowledge of occupational information and economic awareness.

All students receive qualified computer instruction in the "Apple Computer Orchard" laboratory by a resident computer teacher.

The annual "Career on Wheels Day" was a success again this year. This spectacular event brought together leaders of the community, businesses and staff in planning, and then offered students from the Gomes School and the other elementary schools the opportunity to view vehicles which included fire engines and police cars.

Congressman Studds nominated the Gomes School for Redbook's Best Schools Program. Hopefully, in the Fall, the Gomes School will be selected and highlighted in *Redbook Magazine*.

Casimir Pulaski School

Theme: MATH/SCIENCE TECHNOLOGY

All students at the Casimir Pulaski Magnet School receive hands-on science in the science lab by a resident science teacher. Visiting consultants/scientists have also been a vital part of the hands-on science program. Pulaski held a Science Technology Olympiad where students competed individually and in teams in the areas of computers and science to win Olympic medals. Students enjoyed this week-long event and are already talking about next year.

Students in grades K-2 utilize the hands-on approach to math using Delta math kits. Students in grades 3-6 have also been focusing on a more hands-on approach to math but use the Heath Management Math Program.

Pulaski students take part in a special art program where art activities, taught by a residential art teacher are correlated to math and science. The Pulaski Art Gallery opened this year, thanks to Federal funding.

ADVANCED LEARNING

The Advanced Learning (A.L.) program continued this year with 120 students in its 6 classes. These classes include culturally diverse groups of talented students led by teachers who help to create academically challenging environments and broaden the horizons of talented and gifted students.

A.L. teachers had the opportunity to attend several staff development sessions and look forward to incorporating new ideas into the curriculum.

SUMMARY

The Chapter 636 staff working with the Program Facilitators, has worked very hard for the fifth year to offer to the parents of New Bedford, a choice of three outstanding educational opportunities for their children.

EARLY CHILDHOOD PROGRAM

The Chapter 188 Early Childhood Program has provided ten kindergarten aides to our eight non-Chapter I schools. An early childhood teacher has been assigned to the James B. Congdon School to facilitate the integration of young children and to strengthen the connection between its early childhood classes. Twenty extended day slots have been provided through the P.A.C.E. Head Start Program for children in need of increased service. Staff development opportunities have been included to increase teachers' awareness of the developmental approach in kindergarten, in addition to its application to the early elementary grades. A significant outreach is provided for parents of young children through this program and is focused on enhancing their roles in the educational process. Significant linkages with programs and agencies serving young children in New Bedford have been established.

ESSENTIAL SKILLS SYSTEMIC CHANGE PROGRAM

New Bedford's Essential Skills Systemic Change Program has provided staff development activities designed to assist grade 1-6 teachers in meeting the needs of the diverse student population. The use of interactive videodisc technology as an instructional tool was expanded through this project's introductory workshops. In addition, a whole learning series focusing on practical strategies to encourage the use of innovative literacy practices in content areas was presented. The dissemination of information and materials, provided by this project, supported teachers in implementing these active, participatory instructional activities.

To further assist in the implementation of innovative interactive videodisc technology, teachers were trained to create level 3 Interactive Videodisc Lessons involving the linking of an Apple Computer with the videodisc player. As a result of these workshops, several interactive videodisc units have been developed, tested in the classroom situation, and distributed to schools in the district. These various components are directed toward this project's overall objective of assisting all students to achieve at high levels.

TRANSITIONAL BILINGUAL EDUCATION PROGRAM

During the 91-92 academic year, 466 new students were enrolled in the Transitional Bilingual Education Program, 223 Spanish and 243 Portuguese and Cape Verdean. As a result, the enrollment reached 887; 402 Portuguese, 410 Spanish and 75 Cape Verdean.

The primary purpose of the T.B.E. program is to emphasize English instruction and native language instruction. The native language and English languages are also utilized to bridge the language gap in the other content areas. This approach has facilitated the transition from the T.B.E. program to the monolingual English classes.

Every effort is being made to integrate the limited English proficient students into all English speaking classrooms. At one elementary school, a concerted attempt was made to schedule the bilingual students with monolingual students in physical education, art and music. This school could serve as a model for the others.

Testing results were again impressive when one considers the length of time these students have been in the United States. Workshops in methods and techniques of teaching mathematics were offered and implemented by teachers in all grades.

A highlight of the bilingual elementary program was two classes who explored another culture. A third grade class from Osterville on Cape Cod and a 2nd and third grade class from the Gomes School learned a new culture from each other. This pen pal project allowed both Cape Verdean students and Cap Cod youngsters to not only study a different culture through reading but also by visiting each other's school sites. This exchange program resulted in the students having a greater appreciation and an increased respect for how people live differently.

NEWSPAPER IN EDUCATION PROGRAM

The newspaper, as a creative teaching tool, continues to be utilized in the elementary grades. Each year more and more teachers incorporate the newspaper into the curriculum. Teachers realize the value of the newspaper in the teaching of reading, mathematics, spelling, writing, science, geography, history, career awareness, and daily living skills.

The utilization of the newspaper in the elementary curriculum promotes high interest, and teaches students how to use the newspaper as a source of information, knowledge, interpretation, and entertainment.

The Standard-Times' work in educational services earned first place in a national competition for newspapers its size.

The American Newspaper Publishers Association Foundation announced the awards in the Program Excellence Competition in May 1992 in San Francisco. The Standard-Times placed first in the category for newspapers with circulations of less than 50,000.

SEA LAB

The Sea Lab is located by the ocean, in former army barracks at Fort Rodman, New Bedford, MA. The educational installation was established in 1968 by the New Bedford Public School System which operates the lab as a six week summer school for students who are interested in learning about marine and aquatic education. Sea Lab operations are largely self-supporting from the tuition received from the 135 students participating annually in the program. At this time, Sea Lab accepts students on a competitive basis from Grades four through nine.

While at the school, Sea Lab students study principles of oceanography, limnology, meteorology, physics, chemistry, geology, history, and biology relating to the marine and aquatic environments. Practical outdoor skills, such as swimming and sailing, are also an integral part of the Sea Lab Program. In addition, students participate in hands-on experiences through field studies conducted along the Massachusetts and Rhode Island coastlines. Also, in collaboration with and through the assistance of the Sea Grant Staff, older Sea Lab students have had the opportunity to participate in on-going professional scientific research.

The teaching materials, selected by the instructors for presentations at the different grade levels, illustrate their desire to achieve a balance between the introduction of basic scientific concepts and the discussion of observable phenomena. The curriculum is moreover designed to be progressive and cumulative from the fourth grade to the ninth grade.

This summer a basic "Boating Safety" course was introduced to Sea Lab sixth grade students by the Massachusetts Division of Law Enforcement. This study consisted of six, one-hour classes. The Division's primary purpose was to further the public's safety by focusing particularly on youth, who are becoming more involved and assuming greater responsibilities in boating activities.

During July 1991, the entire Sea Lab student body and faculty participated in a field experience Whale Watch aboard one of Captain

John's 100 foot long boats cruising out of Plymouth Harbor, Plymouth, MA. During this four hour open sea excursion, students observed cetacean life first hand by viewing Humpback, Minke, and Finback Whales on Stellwagen Bank. The highlight of this field experience was a spectacular exhibition of breaching by a humpback calf.

In celebration of Sea Lab's Twenty-Third Commencement and Open House, we were honored by the presence of Dr. Joseph Costa, renowned scientist and Director of the Buzzards Bay Project. Dr. Costa's presentation was unique as Dr. Costa was a member of Sea Lab's first graduating class and returned to the program as its first alumni speaker. Highlighting the Commencement Exercises was the presentation of eleven \$200.00 scholarships to former Sea Lab graduates who were entering college in September 1991. These scholarships were provided by the Sea Lab parents organization, Sea Lab Keel, Inc.

Finally, Sea Lab students must maintain an acceptable level of performance to participate in the Program. The competition is keen and it is expected that each student work to the best of his or her ability. Students who successfully complete their studies have the privilege of returning each ensuing summer.

FEDERAL OFFICE

School year "91-92" was another extremely busy and productive year for the Federal Office. This is reflected in the summarized statistics below.

In school year "91-92", some \$9,349,421.00 was awarded to the New Bedford School District and processed through the Federal Office. This involved the implementation of 57 individual projects. The figure of \$9,349,421.00 represents an increase of more than \$1,372,341. of funds over the previous year. This is quite remarkable, given the budgetary fiscal crisis at the state level and some cutting back of funds at the federal level.

In school year "91-92", some 52 proposals were developed, requesting a total of \$11,607,454. for possible funding and program implementation in school year "92-93". While all of the funds requested for SY "92-93", may not be awarded, they are included in this report for two reasons. First, this figure represents this office's total planning effort and secondly, at times, throughout the year, unexpended funds develop within the funding sources and proposals that were originally turned down, because of lack of funding, are funded in whole or in part.

The outstanding results described above, reflect the deep commitment of Assistant Superintendents, the hard work and team efforts of directors, principals, project coordinators, project supervisors, their clerical staffs and the support and leadership of the superintendent.

The hard work and expertise of the Fiscal Office must also be recognized, in the meticulous setting up of the project books, and the rigorous recording of all expenditures, along with the ongoing technical assistance provided to Project administrators.

The funding described above, only includes Federal and State funds actually processed through the Federal Office. Other Federal and State funds that are received by the School District, such as, P.L. 874, Impact Aid, or State EEOG funds have not been included in this report, in that these funds are not processed through the Federal Office.

In conclusion, while a majority of funds and programs in this report are targeted to the educationally or economically disadvantaged, they have a direct impact on the whole student population from pre-school through grade 12, and to our adult population. Thus, significant amounts of funding and programs are also targeted to other key populations in our school community such as: The Special Needs student, the LEP student, the Talented and Gifted student and the Racial Minority Student.

Correspondingly, while a preponderance of the funding and programs are understandably targeted to the basic skills areas, other Federal and State Projects significantly impact on other educational areas such as: science, occupational training, career guidance and counseling, substance abuse education and human services, and parent education and involvement.

As reflected in the number of proposals developed and funds requested, a special effort was made this year to seek out competitive federal grants. Although we have not heard officially as to the federal government's approval of all of these proposals, we believe this effort will bear fruit. Also, this year a beginning effort was made to seek out foundation funding. At this writing, only one small project was approved. However, it will be a goal of the federal office to pursue both of these funding sources even more aggressively next year.

This report concludes with two charts. A chart presenting funds awarded and programs implemented in SY 91-92. In this year we have set up categories that indicate where federal, state and/or foundation funds have supported and supplemented local funds. These categories are; adult

education, compensatory/dropout prevention, curriculum support, desegregation/magnet schools, early childhood non-SPED, occ. ed. and related, pregnant and parenting teens, special needs/categorical grants, staff development, substance abuse education and summer compensatory and remedial programs. Utilizing this system the reader will get a precise reading of the number of programs and the amount of funding allocated to such program areas as compensatory/dropout prevention, programs for special needs students, and programs in early childhood, etc.

This year we have also simplified the descriptions of the various funding sources. Where "federal" is indicated, this means that the funds moved directly from Washington to the School District. Where "federal/state" is indicated, this means that while the funds originate with the federal government, they are administered by the state government, i.e. Chapter 1 and Occupational Education funding. Where "State" is indicated this means that the funding originates at the state level, and finally where "foundation" is indicated, this means that the funds come from corporate or foundation sources.

ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE FEDERAL/FISCAL OFFICE

These roles and responsibilities continue to be:

1. To seek out and research Federal State funding sources.
2. To interpret, for line Administrators, program guidelines as to fundable or authorized program activities.
3. To coordinate and assist in the planning and preparation of all proposals.
4. To review for the Superintendent all proposal narratives and budgets prior to their submission.
5. To provide technical assistance to Line Administrators in the implementation of the project.
6. To review and assist in the preparation of all programmatic/budget amendments.
7. To review rates of spending in each project to guard against budget overruns, while at the same time, insure that all funds are fully utilized.
8. To maintain fiscal records for each project in accordance with funding authority guidelines and the District's fiscal practices.
9. To process all project expenditures to insure that all such purchases conform with the approved programs funding authority guidelines and the District's purchasing procedures.
10. To assist in the preparation of all end of the year programmatic and budgetary project reports.

Funds Prepared SY 91-92 (52)
For Possible Funding SY 92-93 - \$11,607,454.00

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Category	Project Title	Funding Source	Funds Requested	Persons Served
Desegregation/Magnet Schools	Chapter 636 Section 1	State	174,157.00	K-6 three Magnet Schools
	Chapter 636 Section 8	State	122,400.00	K-6 three Magnet Schools
	Magnet Schools Choice in Excellence	Federal	453,475.00	K-6 three Magnet Schools
Early Childhood non-SPEP	Bilingual Continuation Grant	Federal	114,425.00	PreK, K, LEP
	Bilingual Special Populations Grant	Federal	178,370.00	PreK, K, LEP
	Early Childhood Continuation Grant	State	222,634.00	Preschool & K, Reg. & Disadvantaged
	Project LINK	Foundation	249,898.00	Preschool Ingraham
	Project NAB	Foundation	249,000.00	Preschool Ingraham
	Serve America via Experience	Federal/State	48,682.00	Gr. 10-12 Reg. and Disadvantaged
Occ. Ed. and Related	Special Population Academic Support	Federal/State	78,364.00	Gr. 10-12 All student population
	Special Populations Guidance & Counseling	Federal/State	14,808.00	Gr. 10-12 All student population
	Women in Tech, Exploring Non-Trad. Roles	Federal/State	40,120.00	32 Females Grades 10-12
	Babysitting Services for Parenting Teens	Federal/State	75,000.00	Gr. 7-12 and Dropouts
	Consumer Homemaking for Teen Parents	Federal/State	30,000.00	Gr. 7-12 and Dropouts
Pregnant & Parenting Teens	Health Services to Parenting Teens	Federal	20,000.00	Gr. 7-12 and Dropouts
	Skills for Self Suff. - Career Exploration	Federal/State	40,120.00	Parenting Teens Gr. 7-12 & Dropouts
	Support Services for Parenting Teens	State	24,586.00	Gr. 7-12 and Dropouts
	Young Parent Program	Federal/State	92,225.00	Gr. 7-12 and Dropouts

Funds Prepared SY 91-92 (52)
For Possible Funding SY 92-93 - \$11,607,454.00

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Special Needs/Categorical Grants	Outreach Project Chart	Federal/State	240,000.00	Ages 3-7 Special Needs
	Ready - Career Exploration	Federal/State	92,075.00	K-12 Special Needs
	Support	Federal/State	724,250.00	Special Needs Gr 7-12
		Federal/State	199,550.00	Special Needs ages 3-5
Staff Development	Arts in Support of Drug Education	State	2,409.00	Teachers - Mt Pleasant Sch.
	Dunbar School's Early Success	State	1,346.00	Teachers - Dunbar School
	Kaliedoscope	State	8,600.00	Preschool Teachers
	SHARE	State	20,000.00	Teachers and administrators
	Strengthen the Pre-referral Process	State	17,000.00	Teachers NBHS
	Training in Math and Science	Federal/State	94,119.00	Teachers K-12
	Tri-City Westfield State College	Federal	96,675.00	Support Staff
	Visual Arts - Reducing Drug Abuse	Federal/State	2,592.00	Teachers - Hannigan School
Substance Abuse Education	Drug Free Schools	Federal/State	224,645.00	Students K-12 all student populations

**Funds Awarded SY 91-92 (57)
Amount Awarded \$9,349,421.00**

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Category	Project Title	Funding Source	Funds Requested	Persons Served
Adult Education	ABE Instructional Prog.	State	167,000.00	Adults - Disadvantaged and LEP
	Adult Literacy	State	63,500.00	Adults - Disadvantaged LEP
	Citizenship Education	Federal/State	8,000.00	Adults
	Evaluation Grant	State	2,500.00	Adult Ed.
Compensatory/Dropout Prevention	Chapter 1	Federal/State	5,038,691.00	PreK - 12 Disadvantaged
	Confident Kids - Polaroid	Foundation	2,000.00	Gr. 4-6 Davalles School
	Dropout Prevention	Federal	603,243.00	Disadvantaged K-12
	Making School Successful	Federal/State	36,175.00	Gr. 7-8 Disadvantaged - Roosevelt
	Migrant Education	Federal/State	5,321.00	LEP 4-6 Gomes School
	Project RISE	State	19,200.00	Gr. 7-8 Disadvantaged Normandin
Curriculum Support	Chapter II	Federal/State	208,187.00	K-12 Reg. and Disadvantaged
	Essential Skills	State	23,040.00	Students K-6 Campbell
	Health Education	State	500.00	Teachers
	Immigrant Assistance	Federal/State	17,390.00	K-12 and LEP
	Standard Times Literacy	Foundation	500.00	4-6 Carney Academy
Desegregation/Magnet Schools	Chapter 636 Section 1	State	174,157.00	K-6 Magnet Schools
	Chapter 636 Section 8	State	122,400.00	Gr. K-6 Magnet Schools
	Magnet Schools/Choice in Ed. Excellence	Federal	453,475.00	K-6 - Three Magnet Schools

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Early Childhood non-SPED	Bilingual Classroom Furnishings/Ingraham Sch. Early Childhood Continuation Grant	Federal Foundation State	114,425.00 250.00 198,000.00	Pre and K - IEP Preschool PreK - K, regular and disadvantaged
Occ. Ed. and Related	Academic Support Afternoon Skills Guidance & Counseling Parenting Teens	Federal/State Federal/State Federal/State Federal/State	29,874.00 60,000.00 18,513.00 30,000.00	Gr. 10-12, Reg. and Disadvantaged Gr. 9-12 Disadvantaged Regular Gr. 9-12 SPED and Disadvantaged Gr. 7-12 and Dropouts
Pregnant and Parenting Teens	Babysitting Serv. for Teens Health Services Social Services Young Parents Program	Federal/State Federal/State State Federal/State	64,435.00 10,000.00 22,700.00 92,225.00	Parenting Teens, Gr. 7-12 Dropouts 7-12 Regular and Disadvantaged Gr. 7-12 and Dropouts Gr. 7-12 Parenting Teens & Dropouts
Special Needs/Categorical Grants	BEST Chart Outreach Project Support Ready	Federal/State Federal/State Federal/State Federal/State	18,500.00 96,525.00 220,000.00 151,250.00 699,800.00	Special Needs Students K-12 SPED Ages 3-7 SPED Ages 3-5 Gr. 7-12
Staff Development	BEST	Federal/State	3,000.00	Teachers and Administrators

**Funds Awarded SY 91-92 (57)
Amount Awarded \$9,349,421.00**

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Category	Project Title	Funding Source	Funds Requested	Persons Served
Staff Development	Campbell Mainstream	Federal/State	2,946.00	Teachers and Administrators
	Carney Mainstream	Federal/State	2,946.00	Teachers and Administrators
	Classroom Strategies	Federal/State	1,800.00	Teachers
	DDE Title II Math & Science	Federal/State	73,425.00	Teachers and Administrators
	Gomes Mainstream	Federal/State	2,946.00	Teachers and Administrators
	Hayden McFadden Mainstream	Federal/State	2,946.00	Teachers and Administrators
	Normandin Mainstream	Federal/State	2,946.00	Teachers and Administrators
	Proj. Kaleidoscope	Federal/State	17,500.00	Teachers and Administrators
	Project Expand	State	8,000.00	Teachers and Administrators
	Project Inclusion	Federal/State	91,980.00	Teachers and Administrators
	Pulaski Mainstream	Federal/State	2,946.00	Teachers and Administrators
	Systemic Change in teaching Science	Federal/State	125,000.00	Teachers - Brooks School
	Teacher Artist Collaboration	State	2,192.00	Teachers and Administrators
	Whole Language	State	500.00	Teachers
Substance Abuse Education	Drug Free Schools Prevention	Federal/State	216,889.00	Gr. 1-12 - Students
Summer Compensatory and Remedial Prog.	Activities and Work Experience Assisting At-Risk Clients Communications '92' Keith Summer Program 92 Life Skills and Opportunities - STEP Project AWARE Project STEP Remedial	Federal/State Federal/State Federal/State Federal/State Federal/State Federal/State Federal/State	11,016.00 5,915.00 23,178.00 14,420.00 6,489.00 13,024.00 58,141.00	SPED Students Gr. 7-12 Disadvantaged Gr. 7-8 Norm. Gr. 9-12 Disadvantaged Gr. 7-8 Disadvantaged Keith Disadvantaged Gr. 9-12 LEP Students Gr. 9-12 Disadvantaged Gr. 9-12

ANNUAL REPORT**ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT
SPECIAL SERVICES**

The Department of Special Services includes two major components, the Department of Guidance and Pupil Personnel Services and the Department of Special Needs.

The Guidance and Pupil Personnel Services' staff delivers a continuum of support services for all students within the New Bedford Public Schools, while personnel assigned to the Special Needs Department provide the special education instruction for the 3091 special needs students serviced during the 91-92 school year.

The delivery of special education and special services included the following distribution:

Prototypes	Number of Students
502.1 Modified Programs	72
502.2 Up to 25% in Special Education	1066
502.3 Programs with 25% to 60% in Special Education	601
502.4 Substantially Separate Classes	860
502.4i Alternative Programs	72
502.5 Private Day Programs	127
502.6 Residential Programs	13
502.7 Home or Hospital Instruction	87
502.8 Preschool Programs	193
TOTAL SPECIAL NEEDS STUDENTS	3091

SPECIAL EDUCATION**Project Chart**

Project Chart provides a comprehensive program aimed at broadening the social and economic opportunities for students with moderate to severe special needs.

The 13 classes are located in 5 separate schools and include 103 students between the ages of 3 through 22 years of age placed in any one of the five levels.

The sheltered workshop component offers pre-vocational training and economic opportunities for the CHART students assigned to New Bedford High School.

Project Chart has also developed a supportive work employment program whereby students are placed out, in the community into supportive work employment. Additionally, inclusive and mainstreaming models have been developed to meet the individual needs of students where appropriate.

Project Outreach

Project Outreach provides Special Education for children ages 3 through 7 in classes which include preschool, kindergarten, and early childhood educational development. This program is responsible for preschool and kindergarten screening.

Three hundred and sixty eight students were provided direct service in Project Outreach during 1991-92. One thousand one hundred and forty (1140) kindergarten children and 37 first graders were screened. Thirteen children were recommended for team evaluations.

Continued early intervention and identifying children at risk early continues to highlight Project Outreach's efforts to provide for the children of New Bedford.

Project Support

Project Support provides service to 3 and 4 year old children with an emphasis on early intervention. One hundred and ninety two (192) children received direct special education service in the 91-92 school year.

Preschool screening is conducted the 1st Tuesday of the month from September through March. During March and April Child Find efforts begin. All public and private educational providers are contacted along with all media. Three hundred and ninety six (396) children were screened during the 91-92 school year. Eighty eight (88) children were referred for team evaluations and 34 for additional assessments.

During the screening process 74 regular education role models (i.e.) peer partners were identified for our integrated preschool program.

After school diagnostic testing began in late April to insure that the team evaluations would be completed in the summer for September 1992 placement.

Project Support continues to provide speedy services to New Bedford students in private day care centers. Project Support also provides monthly inservice sessions to parents and staff in the latest developments in Early Childhood Education.

During the 91-92 school year Project Support developed a pod of classes at Pulaski School for children who require behavioral interventions and behavior management. The services of Dr. Michael Weiss and Dr. Sheldon Wagner as behavioral consultants have enhanced the success of the program. We have been able to maintain children in the community and not send them to expensive out-of-district placements back to the community due to the development of in-district programs.

We currently have 7 fully integrated preschool special needs classes. Currently more than 50% of New Bedford's 3 and 4 year old special needs population is being serviced in an integrated setting.

Project Support continues to work on the development of the Ingraham integrated preschool. Four special education classes will be moved to the new facility in September of 1992.

Project Support is one of special education's shining lights in that it will have a positive educational impact on children many years down the road through its early intervention techniques and innovative educational programs.

Project Ready

Project Ready, a career training program for special needs high school students, serviced 92 students in the 91-92 school year. The bakery component, Lower Deck restaurant, Project Sew, and the New Bedford High School maintenance components are excellent training opportunities for Project READY students in practical arts for daily living.

During the 91-92 school year Project READY added a recycled next-to-new clothing venture to the Project Sew component.

Project READY had 10 graduates in the class of 1992.

We are currently developing an inclusion model for Project READY, by bringing in regular education students, to act as role models and participate at the various work sites. Additional inclusion models are being developed in conjunction with the Alternative Program and New Bedford High School.

Project Ready has also developed a community service learning model, whereby jobs are secured in the community with students as learners and providers thereby helping the community and the students.

Project Ready also has a partnership with CCP, Careers Competency Program, whereby study periods are used to access CCP to review and update students needs.

In addition, the Department of Special Services received a discretionary 94-142 Grant, Project Expand I & II. Through the grant, we have developed guides for secondary teachers to assist them in integrating students into the regular program.

The Alternative School serviced 78 students during 1991-92 and continued to be a viable alternative to special education students who cannot function in a regular school setting. The Alternative School will be moving to a new facility in the 92-93 school year.

Educational Development

There were 292 students serviced at the elementary level, and 350 students serviced at the secondary level. Educational Development classes include students who have learning problems, developmental disabilities and who need continuous remediation of their academic skills.

Perceptual Development

Two hundred and ninety students were placed in elementary level classes and 134 students attended secondary level classes. Perceptual development classes include students with learning disabilities, perceptual problems, and difficulties with motor skill and/or eye-hand coordination.

Classes and Services for the Hearing Impaired

Seven hearing impaired students received help in the 2 hearing impaired classes. Hearing handicapped student's needs result from sensory limitations which require modifications of their program in order to achieve in the educational setting.

The itinerant hearing teacher is assigned to 6 hearing impaired students at the elementary and secondary level to facilitate their inclusion into the regular program.

Vision Resource Room and Itinerant Vision Services

Seven special education students were serviced in the vision resource room. In addition, there were 41 visually impaired students serviced by the itinerant vision teacher. Large print and specialized vision equipment were provided for the visually impaired students.

Non Categorical Resource Room

One hundred and nineteen students at the elementary and secondary levels were placed in the non categorical resource room. The non categorical resource room provides special needs children with a variety of emotional and educational needs and allows flexible options for students to help facilitate their transition into the regular classroom.

Special Education Resource Class

Eight hundred and sixty students were tutored in the special education resource rooms. Students in the resource room come from their regular classes to receive extra help in academics. Perceptual difficulties are also remediated in the resource room.

Home Instruction

Eighty seven children were taught by the home tutors as a result of hospitalization, illness and other medical problems. These students are tutored in academics until they return to school.

Summary

The 91-92 school year has presented many challenges for the Office of Special Services. Amendments have been made to the 766 Regulations, and new special educational eligibility criteria will go into effect in September of 1992. Forms and procedures have and will change considerably.

We have made a concerted effort to bring children back from out-of-district placements and serve them within the community. The Pulaski M Pod Program currently services 68 children who would otherwise be served in out-of-district placements. In addition, we have brought back 28 children during the 91-92 school year who are currently being serviced in district.

We will be expanding the Alternative Program, and will be developing innovative educational programs to service New Bedford children in New Bedford.

A new special education curriculum is being developed to tie in more closely with the regular education curriculum. The emphasis will be on modification of the regular program, inclusion, and mainstreaming.

We continue to work on inclusive activities where regular education students and special education students are educated in the same classrooms, with emphasis on how much we are alike, not how different we are.

We continue to offer Teacher Directed Inservice Programs.

Our main goal has been and will continue to be positive educational reform for all children as it pertains to a free and appropriate education, as required by Federal Law, and maximum feasible educational benefit in the least restrictive environment, as required by state law.

The Statutes and Regulations at the Federal and State Level are becoming more complex, and schools are mandated to do more and more with less resources. In that regard, the Office of Special Services staff should be commended for providing exemplary services to the special needs children of New Bedford.

GUIDANCE, HEALTH, AND PUPIL PERSONNEL SERVICES

Census and Attendance

This department is responsible for all census data, monitors attendance of school attending students, and compiles school system summary data for Federal and State-mandated reports.

The 1991-92 school year opened with one less staff person necessitating the realignment of school assignments to the Attendance/Home Visiting Staff. In spite of this, the department carried on in an exemplary manner.

Statistically, there were over 1,000 students serviced, whose problems ranged from minor to severe. Of these only 239 students were brought before the court on formal charges. The amount of time that was necessitated to do follow-up with families and agencies continues to increase as the number of available agency staff and school staff decreases.

Attendance was impacted by a number of issues and considerations. In some areas a recurring flu season caused problems. At the secondary level, guidance counselors refer anywhere from 18 to 46 students in their charge. The majority of students at the alternative site were found to be court involved on unrelated charges, but these necessitated the attendance staff to monitor and assist in the process. Families who find it necessary to move frequently, whether within the city limits or outside the state limits, frequently do not feel that school attendance is important. This is reflected in the 52 complaints brought against parents or caretakers for failure to cause school attendance. Habitual school offenders present the more serious problem where resolve is usually on the judge's level.

In spite of cutbacks in personnel, the staff managed to log in almost 2,000 home visits. Total figures for school attendance decreased almost imperceptibly from 92.63% (1990-91) to 92.62% (1991-92).

Speech Therapy and Audiology

Nineteen Speech and Language Therapists provided comprehensive screening, evaluation, consultation and direct services to 1332 students from preschool through high school within the schools and at designated sites in the city. This was an increase of 19% over the previous school year. This year 112 students were dismissed from therapy meeting the goals articulated within each Individual Educational Plan. There were 220 students enrolled for speech therapy for the first time, mostly older toddlers, preschoolers and kindergarten children.

Services of a Bilingual/Spanish Speech Therapist were procured, as needed, throughout the school year. This was in addition to a staff Bilingual Portuguese Speech Therapist. Other therapists address language and speech issues relative to the special language populations within the city.

The average caseload for Speech Therapists was 71. Speech Therapists spent 2942 hours in evaluating and preparing Individualized Educational Plans regarding students presenting functional and non-functional communication disorders.

Speech Therapists participated in numerous professional workshops and inservices such as Dr. Anthony Bashir ("Language Development and the Curriculum"), Dr. Warren ("Language Development in Young Children in the Classroom") and a conference on "Young Bilingual Children." Staff was actively involved with school programs including a Spelling-Bee, committees and fund-raising for elementary schools.

Noteworthy was the increase in the "in-class" inservice model by a number of Speech Therapists. This approach is consistent with tailoring the services to pupils with the least restrictive environment.

Two Audiologists conducted pure-tone hearing test at 28 sites in the city. This extended from early childhood programs through the high school. Duties of the Audiologists were divided to provide needed speech therapy services at an elementary and junior high school. A total of 9499 students were tested with a failure rate of 4.2%. Additionally, other staff Speech Therapists tested 793 kindergarten pupils in the Fall making a grand total of 10,292 students tested for hearing acuity.

Specialized middle ear function testing (tympanometry) was performed on older toddlers, preschoolers in the Early Childhood program and the CHART classes. Approximately 455 children were tested for middle ear function. A failure rate of 20% was evidenced for this kind of specialized test.

Health Services

The Department of School Health Services provided comprehensive nursing care to students utilizing fewer registered nurses in the 1991-92 school year. Prior to school opening, the department experienced two resignations, two terminations and the elimination of two vision nurse positions - only one replacement was hired. All existing assignments were modified and realigned to meet the needs of the student body.

Along with the monitoring of immunization status, mandated screening procedures such as height, weight, dental and pediculosis checks on all students, scoliosis screening for fifth and sixth grades, the school nurse sees students daily in her office for various reasons. The visits include treatment and advice for injuries, old and new, illness, medications and nursing procedures as ordered by the physician.

There was an aggregate 127 students requiring the dispensing of psychotropic medication. The lack of nurse substitutes caused much consternation among the staff, as all medical management must be supervised by registered nurses according to law. The following additional medical procedures were logged in on a regular basis within the school setting:

1. Inhalers
2. Blood sugars
3. Insulin administration

4. Catheterizations
5. TD inoculations (Boosters)
6. Urine testing
7. Administer subcutaneous injections of insulin
8. Pulmonoid inhalation treatments
9. Dressing changes

The nursing staff diligently monitored related health problems. The incidence of pediculosis which was predicted by the Department of Public Health was felt in many school sites. The use of universal procedures (precautions) needed to be stressed to professional and paraprofessional staff throughout the school year.

The full complement of nursing staff managed to spend 900 hours in Team Evaluations assessing a total of 672 students.

Vision Screening

The mandated vision screening was obviously compromised by the two staff positions (vision nurse) that were cut. The one remaining vision nurse was sometimes called upon to administer medications and fill in at TEAM evaluations. Ten school nurses were able to do vision screening in the smaller schools and coordinated their efforts with the vision nurse specialist. Of the 5000 students screened, 48 students were under care, 3% failed, while 105 sought further testing by the appropriate physician. The priority for the Fall of 1992 will be to follow up and complete mandated screening.

Nurse Practitioner

The Nurse Practitioner spent 105 hours participating in 92 Team Evaluations in addition to completing physical appraisals for grade 4 and grade 7 new entrant students which numbered 293. Seventeen and one half days were assigned for medical consultation at preschool screening which spanned the entire school year.

MMR Immunizations were administered to 40 junior high school students who had not complied with the new mandated requirements for grade 7 entrants.

Further training was provided to all nursing staff for CPR with the cooperation of New Bedford EMT Program.

Because of so much predictable interference, the nursing program is finding it more difficult to schedule physical examinations as required. Contributing to the dilemma are 1) school activities, 2) team evaluations and 3) the nurse having to leave the site for dispensing of psychotropic medication.

A health questionnaire is on the planning board for the 1992-93 school year as an alternative to physical exams and in compliance with waiver policy.

Occupational Therapy

The occupational Therapy Program has continued to expand in order to meet the needs of special education students. This year 6 therapists met the necessary requirements for service delivery. They include:

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| 1 | OTR/L | Staff full time |
| 1 | COTA | Staff full time |
| 3 | OTR/L | Vendors part time |
| 1 | COTA | Vendor full time |

Ninety eight Team evaluations were conducted in 241 hours with a total of 117 students aggregate served. Sixty seven further evaluations document the need for 32 more students who will require service. Students in residential programs (6 sites) also are provided occupational therapy services.

The staff OTR/L monitored the vendor service providers as well as providing mandated supervision to COTAS. Because the occupational therapy staff finds that working conditions vary from site to site, efforts to provide appropriate work areas need to be more consistent.

Other activities included an inservice provided to special needs preschool and kindergarten teachers to increase their understanding of the role of an occupational therapist in the school setting. The developmental sequence of pre-writing and pre-cutting skills were also reviewed.

The OTR/L attended a principals' meeting, where the role of an occupational therapist in the school setting was discussed and the referral procedure for therapy services was reviewed.

Throughout the school year, meetings were attended with the Southeastern OT Special Interest Group which provides peer support, inservice training, and networking opportunities.

Physical Therapy

The physical therapy department has had a productive year servicing over 50 students on a regular basis. The two staff physical therapists cover up to 6 schools daily where scheduling can be a challenge. Schedules fluctuate as new students are added to the roles and/or others are dismissed. The therapist's primarily service special education students who are medically involved. However, part of the caseload consists of students recommended for short term therapy as a result of surgery or trauma.

The therapists are frequently asked to evaluate students that only need an adaptive physical education program. However, the therapists continually educate the community in differences between gross motor programs for the handicapped, adaptive physical education and physical therapy.

School Psychologists

School psychologists worked throughout the year evaluating 460 students, providing consultation to staff, parents, as well as the medical and psychological community. During this reporting period 2,555 tests were administered. As a group, the psychologists participated in over 700 Team Evaluations, which involved almost 2,000 man hours in the Team process.

The use of vendor psychologists remains a necessity. Community agencies and clinics as well as individual psychologists are used to provide evaluations of all students. Approximately 1200 students are tested on a yearly basis.

Although concerns are still voiced by staff psychologists regarding the amount of time spent at Team meetings (with vendor reports) that activity is a necessary part of the evaluation process. Twenty five percent of evaluations are considered to be unnecessary by some staffers. If psychologists were consistently used as the building based support teams (in schools) they would have more opportunity for system input.

Guidance Counselors

The counseling program at the high school includes 15 staff members. Twelve counselors are responsible for the everyday needs of over 3,200

students. In addition, two school adjustment counselors deal with crisis situations and a bilingual counselor assists those who are enrolled in bilingual classes.

The 1991-92 school year found high school counselors planning strategies and preparing committee responses for the anticipated 10 year high school accreditation and evaluation process. Three inservice days were set aside to implement these goals which are currently on-going.

In reviewing the annual reports of guidance staff, one dedicated counselor who retired at year's end wrote the following. In respect for this counselor who has served New Bedford Public Schools so well, these goals of guidance stand as a monument to her work. "The goals of guidance should be: To facilitate learning and life adjustment by means which assist the student to utilize his maximum potential. In seeking to fulfill this concept, the following are important:

Attention to the needs of *every student*, every student has important needs, whether those needs involve delinquency or how to get to Harvard.

Professional standards in the atmosphere of the guidance office need to be consistent. It is imperative that I meet the needs of my students, not *use* them to meet my own needs.

Consistent reinforcement of school rules and demonstration of loyalty to the school; the school counselor must work within the framework of the school, a public school is not a clinic.

A continuous effort to demonstrate the purposes and values of guidance to faculty, parents and students, - with communication and also by an example of integrity, idealism and honest hard work.

A continuous review of my own work to affect improvement and a constant stress on *student growth and responsibility* for self. (The student who needs the counselor less and less has been well served indeed by a true professional!"

Junior high school counselors described the 1991-92 school year as stressful and difficult, most feeling that the work load was impossible with the staff cuts sustained at this level. As the complexities of the counseling duties continued to mount, budget constraints made it necessary to cut one counselor in each junior high school. However, a bilingual counselor position was not affected.

The junior high school counselors completed 510 team evaluations in addition to maintaining the usual guidance activities. Because of the cuts, the majority of counselors felt disheartened in that their effectiveness was compromised. As one is quoted "More cannot be done with less." A solution suggestion by all was the use of a guidance clerk which would free the staff from mundane paper work.

School Adjustment Counselor

The School Adjustment Counselor Program for the 1991-92 school year consisted of 22 school adjustment counselors in elementary schools, two at the High School Crisis Center, and one in Out-of District Placement Office.

Surprisingly, statistics for the 1991-92 school year remain fairly constant. Approximately 1800 team evaluations were conducted which consumed more than 5500 hours in preparation and monitoring of the Team process.

Varied counseling programs were initiated in many schools that reflected the student population needs. Obviously, individual counseling is the major focus. However, groups were set up to deal with a variety of issues - self esteem, racism, physical abuse; divorce, physical maturation and separation. In schools where formal Student Assistance Programs are in full gear, the school adjustment counselor is the pivotal professional involved.

Time spent in filing 51As, working with colleagues (nurses, psychologists, therapists, attendance staff and vendor therapists), being an office attendant, consumes precious counseling time away from students, even though all of these activities are necessary to the function of the school. Most counselors strive to see parents or families within their homes where their presence is more effective. The consensus from school administrators would echo the sense that one Spanish bilingual counselor for the entire system does not begin to meet the needs of this population.

The school adjustment counselor assigned to the preschool population was inundated during the year, being on the Preschool Screening Team and coordinating over 200 evaluations. This is an 80% increase in the 3 and 4 year age group. Obviously Projects Outreach and Support find a cooperative atmosphere in the Pupil Personnel Staff.

The two offices of the New Bedford High School Student Service Center (Crisis Center) continue to provide excellent crisis

intervention/individual/group counseling services to students and families. Consultation services to New Bedford High School staff are also very much a part of the outstanding in-house services provided by the center.

The reasons for referral are many: Depression, anxiety, suicidal behavior, drug/alcohol use, family problems, child abuse, sexual assault, and other serious problems. It is significant to note that the New Bedford High School Student Service Center is beginning to experience student referrals related to the HIV epidemic prevalent in our city. Several students have been referred for depression related to the discovery that their parents are terminally ill with AIDS or grief-stricken over their parents' death due to AIDS.

During the year, one crisis counselor received a much deserved PHD, while the other was selected for "Who's Who in American Teachers" to be published in October of 1992.

One vendor counseling program (MENTOR) provided 17 therapists within 15 schools to service 225 students on a weekly basis. Therapy goals ranged from depression, anxiety, post traumatic stress, attention deficit disorders and oppositional defiant disorders. Administration approval and support were evident in positive complementary evaluations.

Team Evaluations

The final figures for the 1991-92 Team Evaluations show a decrease of 42 evaluations completed in the reporting year. Although this figure is statistically insignificant, it still represents approximately 250 staffers and 120 man hours in addition to any testing that would have taken place.

Of the 3520 evaluations held this year, 668 were initial evaluations, 853 were reevaluations while 1999 were review evaluations. In addition, 460 addendums and 1534 referrals were processed. Exit data reveals all but 24 of the 218 students removed from special education successfully accomplished goals within individual educational plans, while 50 students cannot be counted as high school graduates.

Out-of-District

The Out-of-District Placement Office reports involvement in 219 Team evaluations. The staff in this office monitors out-of-district placement facilities, insures that all evaluations are scheduled in a timely manner, and investigates appropriate placements for newly recommended students.

The staff work beyond the 180 day mandated school year in order to monitor the progress of students in eleven and twelve month placements and plan for student reentry in the LEA. This is a time-consuming process because the staff must frequently travel and attend meetings at outside facilities and sites. Of the 200 students whose progress, achievement, and 766 status is maintained in this office, records at year's end boasted 4 graduates, one normal completion of the program at age 22 and 23 returnees to the LEA. A projected count for the 1992-93 school year is for 23 additional students to return. This achievement is the result of diligent efforts by the out-of-district staff.

**ANNUAL REPORT
ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT
BUSINESS SERVICES**

I. TRANSPORTATION

During the 1991-92 school year the Transportation Department maintained a fleet of 19 buses and employed 18 drivers. Transportation was provided for High School, Jr High, Elementary and Kindergarten levels.

The elementary consisted of Bilingual, PD, Advanced Learning and Magnet students. We also do all field trips in and out of town. Transportation was provided for the Sports and Music Departments; Project Skill and Project Rise.

During the summer months, the Transportation Department provided bussing to the Brooks School Elementary Program, NBHS Swimming and Tennis Classes, Ft. Rodman Sea Lab, Summer High School, Camp Kennedy, Senior Citizens, Chart Program and Normandin A.A.R.K. trips (in and out of town).

We are working to have the finest equipment and best service possible for the New Bedford Public Schools. Our goal is to be the safest and most caring drivers for our children. We are first in transportation.

II. FOOD SERVICE

Breakfast is now being served in all twenty-eight (28) schools. The Food Service Department continues to provide meals to Pre-School, Kindergarten, Chapter I, the Migrant Program and the Alternative Program, which now will be called West Side Junior/Senior High. In September 1992 we will be providing service at the Ingraham School for Pre-School children; we will be feeding approximately 200 students at this location. We are still inviting parents of the Pre-Schoolers to come and have lunch with their children on a scheduled day.

The Food Service Department continued to provide for banquets for a variety of school related activities. We provide meals for the Football Team during Summer Camp, and also meals during the school year. The Food Service Department also operated the Concession Stand at the Walsh Field for all events. The proceeds from the Concession Stand are deposited in the Athletic Revolving Account. The Food Service

Department is always testing new food items, this is an ongoing process which helps in upgrading our breakfast and lunch menus.

III. DATA PROCESSING

We have continued the growth of our administrative computer system applications. The constant upgrading of our database in regards to both fiscal and personnel inventories assists in the sound financial planning of the School Department.

The Data Processing Department continues to keep track of all Special Education students, allowing us to pay for the actual transportation of students.

IV. BUDGETARY FISCAL PROCEDURES

A detailed budget was prepared with in-put from all levels of School Department personnel.

Public budget working sessions were held in conjunction with the development of the 1991-92 school budget. A public hearing was held as required by law.

V. MAINTENANCE

The Maintenance Department has continued to maintain all of the School Department's facilities . . . these include both general repairs and snow removal along with the supervision of outside service specialists to perform repairs to various state of the art mechanical equipment.

Working within our plans to improve energy efficiency, new burners were installed at the Brooks and Campbell Schools. These burners allow us to burn the #2 heating oil, which is more cost efficient along with adding protection for the environment. With efficiency in mind a new gas boiler was installed at the Ottiwell Elementary School. This boiler allows a more efficient heating of the plant.

The roof was replaced at the Jireh Swift Elementary School. This allows us to repaint the interior of the building. The Ashley Elementary School and the Congdon School also had the interiors painted.

The New Bedford High School is continuing to replace the parapet flashing in the Auditorium areas. This replacement corrects an ongoing problem with leaks from the parapet walls.

In cooperation with several agencies, plans for the Ingraham Pre-School site were developed.

VI. PRODUCTION CENTER

Our printing needs are met by the services provided by our Central Production Center. The variety of assignments taken on by our Production Center is as diverse as the variety of programs we have in the New Bedford School System. We continue to print all forms needed by the Food Service Department along with forms needed by Chapter I and various other areas within the School Department.

VII. FISCAL MANAGEMENT

The New Bedford Public Schools has continued to receive the financial awards from the Class Action Law Suit which was filed against John Manville.

The Business Office continues to implement the new 30B procurement chapter and write all specifications for all major contracts. The specification writing is done in-house and does not necessitate hiring a consultant for the writing of these proposals.

VIII. CUSTODIAL

The Custodial Department is in the process of testing several new chemicals for cleaning and waxing, etc., in order to upgrade the conditions of the schools. Any new process or application of these new materials will result in the need for training the staff. This training will take place in individual buildings.

The new building assignments at West Side Jr/Sr High School and the Ingraham are new and exciting challenges to the Custodial Department. The maintaining of these new sites will be closely monitored throughout the year.

An EPA/AHERA inspection took place at the Mt Pleasant School. We are pleased to announce the receipt of a commendation letter identifying complete compliance with all state and federal regulations.

The framework is in place for the three year reinspection as mandated by the EPA and will be completed next year.

IX. COMMUNICATIONS

The AT&T PBX Telecommunications System has continued to provide us with state of the art communications and has kept our telecommunication costs in control. The automated attendant program has made it easier for the public to access the various departments, including Transportation past the Main Office closing. We have installed in many of the offices the new mailbox system which allows unattended offices to receive messages from the public and respond to those messages.

**ANNUAL REPORT
PERSONNEL OFFICER
PERSONNEL DEPARTMENT**

The 1991-92 school year was a very busy year. Again our school system experienced substantial layoffs due to budget reductions. Despite the reductions in staff throughout our system, we remained committed to offering our students the best educational opportunities possible.

RECRUITMENT AND CERTIFICATION

The Personnel Office has been actively searching for certified teachers in all areas of instruction, as needed. We continued to experience a shortage of certified Spanish Bilingual Teachers and Special Education Teachers. Where necessary in these two areas, waivers of certification were requested through the Department of Education, and the most qualified non certified applicants were appointed for the year.

We continue our commitment to search for certified minority professionals and non professionals.

CIVIL SERVICE

We remain in compliance with Civil Service Rules and Regulations. There are a number of provisional employees on board, in civil service titles, while we are waiting for Civil Service Lists to be issued to our department.

RECORD PROCESSING

Further improvement has been made in our record keeping process. We continue to update our procedures which help us to carry out our responsibility to maintain and accurately process employee records in a timely manner. Close communication is maintained with the Business Department and is necessary to facilitate this process.

CHAPTER 622, TITLE IX, SECTION 504

Compliance with Chapter 622, Title IX and Section 504 is maintained. These laws deal with discrimination against anyone due to race, sex, color, national origin, religion or handicap. We are required to provide information to our employees and students about the provisions of the law, and to have a grievance procedure in place so that instances of

suspected noncompliance can be brought to the attention of the administration, and resolved.

AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT

The Americans With Disabilities Act (ADA), was adopted in July, 1990, and as of July 16, 1992, employers with 25 or more employees are subject to compliance with the law. Mainly, the law requires an employer to make reasonable accommodations, which are not undue hardship, so that any qualified individual with a disability, can perform the essential functions of a job. This applies to the entire employment process, from access to a building, to applying for a job, to filling out an application and the required forms, to working in the job.

We attended a number of seminars on this subject, to help employers understand their responsibility within the law. We will continue to monitor our policies within the school department to ensure compliance.

IMMIGRATION REFORM AND CONTROL ACT OF 1986

This law requires an employer to verify an individual's eligibility for employment in the United States. We continue to be in compliance with this federal law, by examining evidence of identity and employment eligibility that is submitted by prospective employees, and keeping this information on file.

EMPLOYEE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

The School Department, through the City of New Bedford, provides our employees with an Employee Assistance Program. This program is a confidential resource offered as a means of assistance with personal problems affecting job performance and other areas of the employee's life. It is available to the employee and his or her immediate family member, and is free of charge to the employee.

This year we experienced a change in the provider of this program. The new provider is WorkMed. This company came into the school system and provided orientation to our administrators, to assist them in referring employees. They also provided orientation to employees, so they were aware that the service is available and how the program works.

We continue to attend meetings with WorkMed during the year, to discuss implementation of the program, problems that have occurred, future changes to be made and in general, see that the program is working effectively.

ANNUAL REPORT**NEW BEDFORD HIGH SCHOOL**

The following goals were developed into PERTS and successfully completed during the 1991-1992 school year:

1. To implement the PERT developed for the April 1994 decennial evaluation of New Bedford High School by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges. During the 1991 - 1992 school year, the following committees implemented Phase I of the evaluation: Steering, Philosophy and Goals, School and Community, Department Program of Studies and Curriculum, Student Activities and Guidance Services. Three half in-service days were scheduled for committee work and study.
2. To coordinate a Talent Search Program in cooperation with the N.B. Education Opportunity Center and the Worcester Center for Higher Education.
3. To coordinate the implementation of a Drop-Out Prevention Grant.

ATHLETIC PROGRAM

New Bedford High School completed it's second year of competition in the Big 3 Conference. Non-league contests were once again extremely competitive, however, our young men and women were up to the challenge. Winning 12 Conference Championships, 1 Sectional Championship, and many State and Sectional finals capped the most successful year in the last ten. Championship teams included **Boys' and Girls' Volleyball, Boys' and Girls' Tennis, Baseball, Softball, Girls' Winter & Spring Track, Golf, Boys' & Girls' Swimming, and Field Hockey.**

The Scholar/Athlete incentive program continued at New Bedford High School with more-than-satisfactory results. Final figures indicate that **718** out of **955** (75%) participants did not receive any grade lower than a "C" on their report card. This is a **5% increase** over the **1990-91** school year and a **12%** increase since the program was implemented two years ago.

The Jr. High School Program was again successful with over **600** participants from Roosevelt, Keith and Normandin Jr. High Schools. The sports program included both team and individual activities in: Football, Soccer, Field Hockey, Basketball, Gymnastics, Volleyball, Swimming, and Track & Field.

BILINGUAL PROGRAM

At New Bedford High School, the T.B.E. program continues to provide an excellent educational program to all limited English proficient students. Some seventy (70) course offerings are available through a bilingual medium of instruction. Students who are limited-English proficient can take bilingual courses from as simple as basic math to calculus and COBOL.

Nineteen (19) bilingual students graduated from the High School. In addition, another 61 who were former bilingual students also graduated. Of these, 6 graduated with highest honors, one in bilingual, and 28 with honors. Numerous former bilingual students received awards and scholarships. One of these students was awarded a \$500 scholarship. These are students who spent at least one year in the bilingual program and were then promoted to the monolingual English classes. It is encouraging to know that our students are not only graduating from high school, but are also entering the job market with valuable occupational skills.

BUSINESS EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

The **Business Education Department** served over 50% of the students at New Bedford High School in a wide variety of courses. In our continuing efforts to train students for employment, the **Business Department** has renewed its determination to increase the enrollment in the department. In-house class visits were made by many of the beginning business students to the **Clerical/Office Simulation** classes as well as the **Word Processing** classes.

Despite the continuing unemployment problem in the area, our senior students in the **Clerical/Office Simulation** course continue to be called upon to fill a variety of part-time office positions. The students have been successful in demonstrating their office skills ability and the employers have expressed great satisfaction with the level of competency shown by our students. This is a reliable indication that the **Business Department** fills the needs of the business community and is incorporating relevant material into the curriculum. In addition, business teachers arranged for students to visit many of our classes to acquaint them with the wide variety of courses to choose from in the **Business Department**. Guidance counselors have been helpful in counseling students on the opportunities available in business and suggesting meetings with *Business* teachers to discuss course selections.

A number of schools and colleges visited the department during the school year. We were host to Burdette School of Boston, I.T.T., DeVry College, Johnson & Wales University, Katharine Gibbs Secretarial School, Kinyon-Campbell Business School, Bay State Junior College, Art Institute of Fort Lauderdale, Hesser College, etc. Topics covered during these visits included Career Counseling, Success on the Job, Careers in the 90's, "Dress for Success", and Interviewing Techniques, etc. All of these informative programs were of great help to our students. All of our visitors have had nothing but praise for the behavior of our students and for the quality of business training we provide.

Compass Bank has continued its mutually agreeable association with the **Business Department**. The two-year Banking Program has become a desirable course for our students due to the splendid work of the Banking teacher and the cooperation of **Compass Bank**. After reviewing all information, we can say with confidence that this has been the best year yet for the Banking Program.

There are many avenues to learning, and our students have been given the opportunity to observe and explore these avenues through

class field trips. The **Clerical/Office Simulation** classes were sent to BCC to observe and explore the opportunities for higher learning in the Business field available close to home. A field trip to the **Compass Bank** was undertaken by the students in the **Banking Program** to enhance their knowledge of the banking opportunities available to them.

In preparation for state accreditation, the **Business Department** has used inservice time during the school year to update their section of the PROGRAM OF STUDIES book. Work on this most important duty has progressed and the department is ready for the next phase of the accreditation process.

As in the past, Kinyon-Campbell held the annual TYPING CONTEST at the high school during the month of May. The majority of the keyboarding students participated and results will be forthcoming from Kinyon-Campbell before the end of the school year.

Also in May, the department held an APPRECIATION DAY for the seniors in the **Business Department**. Their accomplishments throughout the year were acknowledged and they received certificates and chocolate candy typewriters in appreciation. Participants included the Tech Prep students as well as the Banking and Office Simulation students.

In an effort to promote the interaction between various school departments and the **Business Department**, the Office Simulation classes invited the Media Center to videotape the students during their practice interviews. This proved to be a valuable tool and a positive learning experience because students could see themselves on TV and then were able to critique their performance. These same students were responsible for maintaining the high level of performance and competence in the copying center which provided copies for the various school departments.

The semi-annual meeting of the Occupational Education Advisory Council was held at NBHS on May 28, 1992. Under the guidance of the Director of Career and Occupational Education, faculty, business leaders, students and parents met for three hours to discuss the direction of Occupational Education in the future.

ENGLISH DEPARTMENT

The school year 1991-92 was marked by several accomplishments and events. Worthy of note were:

1. Completion of the department's section of the new New Bedford High School program of studies booklet and of curriculum guidelines.

2. Continued work on released half-days for the department's self-evaluation for the upcoming NEASSC high school accreditation.
3. Presentation of an in-service on the topic of integrating students with learning disabilities into mainstream classrooms.
4. Implementation of a Community Service Learning project in which Chapter I students served as teachers' aides in the SPED Program.
5. Successful participation by senior high school students in the Delta Kappa Gamma and Holocaust Essay Contests.
6. Presentation of the NBHS Drama Club productions of "A Christmas Carol" and "Me and My Girl".
7. The organizing of several very rewarding fundraisers to benefit the department's Rosaline Correia/Robert Braz Memorial Scholarship Fund.
8. Receipt of \$5,000. from the estate of William Doyle to establish a memorial journalism scholarship.

The English Department continues to update its courses and their content as well and to encourage the professional improvement of its members in order to meet the needs of today's students and those of the upcoming new century.

FOREIGN LANGUAGE DEPARTMENT

With the completion of a thorough revision of the foreign language section of the high school's program of studies book, this year's priority goal in preparing for the upcoming high school evaluation was accomplished. Much work has also been done on the major task of curriculum revision and course outlines.

During the year, members of the department continued to play a major role in the Southeastern Massachusetts Foreign Language Academic Alliance which includes teachers from the University of Massachusetts at Dartmouth and from several area school districts. The highlight of the year was the sponsorship by the Alliance of a student foreign language immersion day on October 26. An immersion day when a student would only hear the foreign language has been a long held wish for the department that was finally realized with the help of the Alliance and the very active participation of many members of the department.

The day was extremely successful and the feedback from our students was very positive. As a result, future immersion days are being planned. At the monthly meetings of the Alliance a variety of topics of interest to area foreign language teachers is discussed. A very successful "Teacher Day" was held in April of 1991 and another one is being planned for September of 1992.

We were extremely pleased to learn that Mr. A Araujo of the department completed his second year Portuguese text. We have been extremely pleased with the results that we are getting from his first year text. We have also been using the material from his new second year text on a trial basis in several classes with much success. Unfortunately, budget constraints will not allow us to purchase all the books we would need at once, but hopefully, within not too long a period of time, we will be able to have enough texts for all our first, second, and third year classes. After so many years of great frustration, we would finally have a Portuguese text based on the most recent pedagogy for foreign language teaching that will truly meet the needs of our students.

As always a major highlight of the year was our annual celebration of National Foreign Language Week held the first week in March. The theme for celebration this year was Mardi Gras around the world. Activities included Mardi Gras parades with costumes and masks, skits, ethnic foods and music, and a poster contest. Thanks to the cooperation of many people, the week was once again extremely successful.

Also during the year, the proficiency criteria for our various levels of target language acquisition continued to be studied and developed.

The success of the varied activities of the department during the entire school year was due in large part to the willingness of the members of the department to give freely of their time and industry. Their enthusiasm and interest for the subject matter continue to be one of the finest assets of the department.

HOME ECONOMICS DEPARTMENT

New Bedford Public Schools has been selected to pilot-test the recently developed State Standards Guidelines for Secondary Home Economics Programs. The instructors were invited to five workshop sessions. They reviewed the Standards and decided how they applied to Home Economics in general. The teachers filled in questionnaires about the Standards and the completed forms were sent to the Massachusetts Home Economics Education Program Standards Committee at the

University of Massachusetts at Boston. A sixth workshop was held to develop our own local standards for the junior high and high school levels.

One-third of the students at New Bedford High School have selected Home Economics courses this year.

Upon completion of all course work, the Early Childhood students receive an Office for Children Teachers Certification. Students in Occupational Child Care Lab & Theory participate in an on-site training program at the following elementary schools: Brooks, Kempton, Rodman, Mt. Pleasant and Winslow. Students in the Occupational Child Care class participate in an on-site training program at United Front Day-Care. Next year we hope to include the Ingraham School as a training site.

Upon completion of all course work, the Occupational Nursing students receive a State Nurse's Aid certification. These students participate in an on-site training program at Brandon Woods Nursing Home.

The Occupational Food Service and Career Foods students operate the Whaler's Rest which is located at New Bedford High School.

In preparation for the New England Association of Schools & Colleges ten year evaluation, the Home Economics Department has developed a new program of studies for the 1993-94 school year.

Students may select courses from four Home Economics clusters. They are Fashion & Interiors Merchandising, Early Childhood, Allied Health, and Food Service & Food Science. The best way for students to develop occupational skills that lead to desirable career opportunities is to follow one of the career clusters. If a student follows a particular sequence of courses this will prepare the student for work or further education.

The Home Economics Department has been working on a new competency based curriculum for grades 7-12. We plan to implement the new curriculum during the 1993-94 school year.

Next year the Home Economics Department will begin the self evaluation portion of the New England Association of Schools and Colleges evaluation.

The Home Economics Department is trying to develop an articulation with 2 year and 4 year colleges in areas currently offered within our department.

As part of the Carl Perkins regulations, an Occupational Education Department Advisory Committee was formed. A new requirement of the regulation was that sub-committees for each occupational area must be created. In the Home Economics Department we have developed three sub-committees, Occupational Child Care, Occupational Nursing and Occupational Food Service. Each Committee is composed of, the classroom teachers, parents, students, and professionals from colleges, representatives from business, industry, and community-based organizations.

The Home Economics Department has had a very productive year. We are looking forward to the new year with anticipation of growth in career oriented programs.

MATHEMATICS DEPARTMENT

This school year was a year of change for many members of the MATHEMATICS DEPARTMENT. It also brought some new innovative ideas to the department.

Two members of the MATHEMATICS DEPARTMENT entered into a pilot project with the CCP LEARNING CENTER. For one marking quarter they divided their class between the regular classroom and the center. As a result they were able to achieve a smaller ratio of students to teacher. These two classes worked so well that during the next school year, this project will be carried out the **entire** (school) year.

With the push to integrate the study of mathematics and science in the technology field, 5 members of the department participated in 4 workshops to begin the necessary work to make this integration possible. It is our intent to continue this in-service during the coming school year.

With the decennial evaluation by the N.E.A.S.C. coming in 1993, the MATHEMATICS DEPARTMENT began the enormous preparatory work this year. As a department, we updated the PROGRAM OF STUDY BOOKLET and the COURSE CURRICULUM GUIDES.

The members of the MATHEMATICS DEPARTMENT are aware of the major impact that computers have in our society. As a result, the computer has become an integral part of the mathematics instruction. Many classes use the various computer labs or computers in classroom. In the MATH/SCIENCE RESOURCE CENTER, the computers are used on a continuous basis.

All Grade 12 students participated in the MASSACHUSETTS ASSESSMENT TESTING PROGRAM. Two members of the department participated as readers for the open-ended questions. The knowledge gained from these grading sessions will be of great value to the department in helping to prepare the students for future testing.

The next few years are going to be important years for those who teach mathematics. The age of technology is upon us. It will be the role of the MATHEMATICS DEPARTMENT to provide the city and state with students who are computer literate, good in problem solving skills and able to analyze and think logically.

SCIENCE DEPARTMENT

This year, the science department concentrated its efforts on curriculum revision and started the laborious process of self-evaluation of its objectives and goals in preparation for the 1994 evaluation by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges. Accreditation of public secondary schools by the NEASC signifies that the school has met Commission standards and is willing to maintain those standards and to improve its educational program by implementing the recommendations of the evaluation team. The high school science program of studies has been revised and updated. Course content and curriculum guides for specific science courses have been evaluated and are in the process of being typed.

This academic year, a biology teacher has been working with the Polaroid Corporation of New Bedford as an assistant scientist in their Project Bridge Program. She was assigned to the Negative Manufacturing Lab and has helped monitor and improve the film manufacturing process. This teacher internship program was developed to provide math, science, and computer teachers with an opportunity to work as full time employees of Polaroid for one year with the understanding that they return to teaching at the end of the year. Different divisions within the company have developed a wide variety of project and work opportunities for which qualified teachers are considered.

Three in-service days were held at the high school this year. During that time, committees met and discussed the various problems facing science education and possible solutions to these problems were offered. Other activities in which science teachers participated were workshops and collaboratives designed to develop skills and techniques to aid teachers in using the computer as a teaching tool.

New textbooks and science equipment were purchased for the high school and the junior high schools. The state of the art electronic and digital science apparatus were purchased for the science laboratories thus strengthening the science program.

At the junior high school level, science/math teacher teams were selected to participate in collaboratives offered by colleges to help develop integration and increase the number of women and minorities in engineering. The latest movement in the middle school teaching of science is integration rather than segmentation of subject matter. The department chairman attended several conferences and workshops on this timely topic.

The National Association of Science Teachers held its convention in Boston this year during the month of March. The many displays, exhibits, and other related activities helped infuse new energy into the science staff.

SOCIAL STUDIES DEPARTMENT

The academic year, 1991-1992, was a year which witnessed several marked changes in the day to day activities of the department. For the first time since the 1974-75 school year, the department head, in addition to his regular supervisory and curriculum duties, was assigned to the instruction of two classes. Although the task was time consuming, and a more definite set of priorities had to be established in order to meet the needs of the department, the experience has proven to be most beneficial! The end result being that a return to classroom teaching has made the department chair more cognizant of the responsibilities of the classroom teacher in meeting the divergent needs of the secondary youth of today. We also lost the invaluable clerical assistance of the department secretary for the eight department chairs; but, in so doing, it has forced us to refine our own typing and record keeping skills.

During the progress of this year, we have been vitally concerned and actively involved in the pursuit of the following listed goals.

1. To complete and make perfect all aspects involved in the preparation of the department Program of Studies Booklet by June 1992.
2. To prepare in detail a revised set of curriculum guides for all existing course offerings of the department.

3. To develop and participate in a variety of meaningful activities not only geared to the curriculum goals established by the department but designed to promote civic responsibility, ethnic pride, geographic competency and an understanding of contemporary society.

During this school year, three In-Service Training Sessions were scheduled for staff development. AT these meetings, members of the department addressed themselves to curriculum related activities. The first project was the completed restructuring of all course descriptions for use in the revision of the Program of Studies Booklet. This was an extremely necessary task as the department instituted, at the beginning of the 1991-1992 school year, full year courses in all levels of American History, World History, World Geography, Human Behavior, and Black Studies. This is a departure from previous years in which all Social Studies courses were semester in length. However, semester courses are still offered by the department in the subject areas of Psychology, Sociology, applied Economics and Law and the Legal System.

Once the Program of Studies Booklet was completed, the staff has been involved in the process of completing the upgrading of the curriculum content of each of the respective courses. In conjunction with this activity, a list of behavioral skills, as well as the listing of newly acquired textbooks and audio visual materials for use in the instruction has been compiled. This is a continuing project, and it will be completed at the conclusion of this school year.

One of the highlights of the year occurred in the month of January, when a group of students enrolled in the Black Studies classes presented an original program for all of the students commemoration the sixty-third birthday of the late Martin Luther King, Jr. This most effective program was comprised of essays on why we honor King, excerpts from the "I Have a Dream" speech, and vocal selections including "Lift Every Voice and Sing", the anthem of Black America and "Amazing Grace."

Another noteworthy activity sponsored by the department was the celebration of National Geographic Awareness Week, December 1-7, 1991. The program for the week focused upon the theme, Geography: New Worlds to Explore. Over five hundred students, enrolled in World Geography and Geography related courses, were provided a variety of programs and map lessons depicting the 500 year anniversary of Christopher Columbus which will occur in the fall of 1992. Students also studied the effects of the demise of the communist empire in Eastern Europe and its impact upon regional geography, and the Summer Olympics to be held in Barcelona, Spain. It is rewarding to note that

increased emphasis upon the instruction of geography in secondary schools is being strongly advocated by both the National Geographic Society and the National Council of Social Studies.

Throughout the year, and particularly in senior classes, where the membership consists of seventeen and eighteen year old students, members of the department have worked assiduously to inform this segment of our school population about the necessity of voter registration. According to Massachusetts law, by action of the State Legislature in 1986, our school is required to register eligible students to vote. We have developed a program based upon current events coupled with a video presentation on Getting Out The Youth Vote which stresses the importance of voting in a democracy. As a result of the combined efforts of the staff, Mrs. Irene Medeiros, assistant registrar of voters at New Bedford High School, and the department chair, have registered a total of one hundred thirty-three prospective voters during the 1991-1992 school year.

TECHNOLOGY EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Activity within the Technology Education Department of the City of New Bedford was characterized by the formulation of a framework which would best serve the students of New Bedford to address the new challenges on the horizon. Specific changes in world order, economic and militarily, have altered the focus of Technology Education. Economic recession has prompted educational authorities in many locations to assess the value of Technology Education for all students and in many cases require such education for high school graduation. The goal of public education to develop respectful, informed citizens can only be maintained through economic content. Technology education is essential education, broad in scope to not only plant the seeds of synthesis in young, active minds but also to present a vehicle to learn the processes of industry, often with the incidence of skill training and work ethic. Where do the new problems exist in the demise of the superpower age? How will we use our vast information, human, and natural resources to meet true human needs exclusive of defense? What processes will be required to insure economic stability yet protect and enhance the global environment? These are just a few parameters which keep Technology Education in constant flux.

The 1991-92 School Year was critical in developing a foundation for Technology Education which would take the students into the Twenty-first Century. The impending evaluation of New Bedford High School by the New England Association of Secondary Schools and Colleges

prioritized the elements of this foundation including (1) a revised Program of Studies, and (2) a revision of the Technology Education Curriculum Guide. Revisions to the Program of Studies emphasized content which would develop current and future student outcomes for the entire scope of the New Bedford High School student population addressing student and community needs. An initial step in curriculum revision included an assessment of knowledge and skill competencies descriptive of the intended student outcomes.

The theme of the re-authorized Carl D. Perkins Vocational and Applied Technologies Act calling for integration of academic skills with technical education generated considerable activity in the Technology Education Department during the 91-92 School Year. Under a Title II Grant, teachers participated in training and evaluative workshops to identify essential math and science competencies and the corresponding delivery vehicles relative to Technology Education Courses. Another Perkins generated activity included the convening of The Occupational Education Advisory Committee for the purpose of program verification by members of private industry, the student body, teachers, and parents. Future growth trends of local industry including plastics and marine industries, both pleasure and commercial, were included on a future assessment agenda.

Exemplary courses in terms of student outcomes during the 91-92 School Year included Introduction to Technology and Computer-Aided Drafting. Introduction to Technology presented students with specific problem statements from which they were required to design a system with input sensors and output actuators and process the system via BASIC computer language. Computer-Aided Drafting served eighteen students who will pursue post-secondary degrees in Architecture, or Engineering. Awards for outstanding performance were conferred upon ten students by Hall Institute, Black and Decker, and The Providence House of Printing Craftsmen.

ANNUAL REPORT**ADULT EDUCATION PROGRAM**

The Division of Adult/Continuing Education seeks to provide educational services to adults who wish to pursue personal goals or ascend the educational ladder leading to a secondary credential.

Adult students are evaluated by a counselor and referral is made to the appropriate program.

Pre-secondary programs are organized to accept adults at their individual educational level. These programs, as well as GED preparation classes, are available mornings and evenings throughout the city.

Secondary programs are held at the Paul Rodrigues Administration Building and New Bedford High School.

More than seventeen hundred (1700) adults participated in Adult Education programs during FY92, and more than four hundred sixty (460) adults earned a secondary credential.

NEW BEDFORD EVENING HIGH SCHOOL

The New Bedford Evening High school presents a number of educational opportunities to residents of greater New Bedford. Inaugurated in 1963, the program was primarily designed for adults whose desire it was to earn a high school diploma.

The school now provides an alternate program for dropouts giving them the opportunity and encouragement to continue their education at the secondary level and fulfill their ultimate goal of earning a high school diploma.

The program operates on a semester basis with classes commencing in September and March. Previous educational and related experiences are evaluated by professional counselors to develop an educational plan leading to a high school diploma for each student registered.

One hundred (100) students were awarded high school diplomas on June 9, 1992.

ADULT DIPLOMA PROGRAM

The Adult Diploma Program is based on the philosophy that learning and knowledge are acquired throughout a person's lifetime: that high school prepares a person for adult life by providing an opportunity to learn and acquire certain competencies; adults who possess knowledge, skills, and talents should be allowed to demonstrate such competencies in lieu of returning to a classroom merely to satisfy particular attendance requirements. The Adult Diploma Program provides eligible adults with the opportunity to earn a high school diploma by demonstrating competency in the basic educational skills needed to thrive in society and awards credit for learning that has occurred through life's experience.

This year, sixty-eight (68) graduates of the Adult Diploma Program received their diplomas in a traditional ceremony with the New Bedford Evening High School on June 9, 1992 in the Philip Bronspiegal Auditorium.

HIGH SCHOOL COURSES OFFERED FOR ADULTS DURING THE DAY

As part of the Adult Education Program, New Bedford High School offers high school courses during the day at the Paul Rodrigues Administration Building.

These credit courses fulfill requirements for graduation from New Bedford Evening High School, or they can be taken for enrichment.

A history course, **Foundations of American History**, is offered during each trimester of the regular school year. The primary intent of this course is to provide learners with a knowledge of American history from the fifteenth century to the end of the Civil War in 1865. Included in this course is a special unit of study, concentrating on the structure of the government of the United States at the federal, state, and local levels.

This credit course is required for graduation from the New Bedford Evening High School.

GED HIGH SCHOOL EQUIVALENCY PREPARATION AND TESTING

Nine-week preparation classes were offered mornings, afternoons and evenings, to assist adults who had left school to successfully complete all five GED tests and earn a high school equivalency diploma. While it is not necessary to take the preparation course, many adults felt it was

worthwhile to avail themselves of the opportunity, since the actual tests are considerably challenging.

During the 1991-92 school year, more than three hundred sixty (360) people earned a GED High School Equivalency Diploma.

ADULT BASIC EDUCATION

Adult Basic Education encompasses reading, language usage, writing and mathematics skills through the eighth grade level of competency.

Participants are assessed to establish an individualized plan and may progress at their own rate. A variety of methods are employed including individualized, small group, and computer assisted instruction.

One hundred seventy-six (176) adults participated in this program during the 1991-92 school year.

ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE

New Bedford's large immigrant population often experiences difficulty in obtaining employment or are unable to advance on the job due to the lack of communication skills in English.

English as a Second Language (ESL) helps adults to understand, speak, read and write English and deal with daily encounters.

Three levels of ESL are offered to allow students to progress from oral to reading and writing skills. Course curriculum is designed so that participants may continue their education on the secondary level or, continue on to college.

Four hundred forty-two (442) adults received services in this area during the 1991-92 school year.

ADULT LITERACY PROJECT

Under continued funding from the Massachusetts Department of Education administered through Job Training and Employment Corporation, the Adult Literacy Project was able to continue to offer classes to undereducated adults.

The Adult Literacy Project serves adults who are 16 years of age or older, no longer enrolled in school and who are functioning below the eighth grade level.

One hundred seventy-nine (179) adults participated in ABE and ESL programs at New Bedford High School and Ottiwell School under this project.

VOLUNTEER TUTOR PROGRAM

Seventy-seven (77) volunteer tutors were trained and matched with clients in ABE and ESL classes.

This trained volunteer corps, made up of motivated individuals willing to make a substantial commitment of time and energy to adult education, provided 5,075 hours of service to adult students during the 1991-92 school year.

BRIGHT NIGHTS PROGRAM

Bright Nights is an evening practical arts program for adults offered on a semester basis at New Bedford High School. A total of one hundred ninety-two (192) adults participated in 13 courses during the 1991-92 school year.

ADULT CITIZENSHIP PREPARATION PROGRAM

For several decades, this program has successfully prepared immigrants to become American Citizens.

The main goal of these classes is the preparation of candidates to take the citizenship test required by the United States Department of Immigration Services.

This program boasts a high success rate and approximately fifty persons from the New Bedford Public School Program receive their citizenship annually.

CITIZENSHIP EDUCATION PROJECT

The Citizenship Education Project is funded through the Massachusetts Department of Education, with funds provided by the Office of Immigrants and Refugees. This project was designed to promote public awareness of the difficulties faced by immigrants trying to become citizens, to create a statewide network of support/information, and to make use of the great surge of volunteerism that is sweeping the country.

During the 1991-92 school year, thirteen (13) volunteers provided five hundred ninety-one (591) hours of tutorial service to twenty-two (22) students.

ANNUAL REPORT**ART EDUCATION DEPARTMENT**

The Art Education Department continues to strive in its quest to bring quality Art Education to the students of New Bedford. Working within the parameters of educational guide lines, we look to the effective use of community resources, in-service workshops for staff and students alike and the cooperative efforts of U. Mass/Dartmouth.

With additional cutbacks in staff this year, the programs at the High School and Elementary level have suffered severely. The staff at New Bedford High School have been forced to undertake conditions that have pushed the department back to pre-1972. Several programs have not been offered as a result, and more than 500 students were eliminated from the Art Program. Continuing, in this fashion can only bring a demise to a once fine Art Program.

The Elementary level has also been drastically affected through these cutbacks. The remaining staff has been able to manage servicing classes on a schedule of only once every three weeks. This, again, is fostering a condition which is threatening the cultural education of our City's youth.

In spite of these obstacles, the Elementary Art Staff worked diligently to continue to bring quality Art Education to their students. With careful planning, we were able to conduct classes and take part in several contests this year, with results that proved the worth and dedication of the staff involved. Students received top awards in contests such as: DRUG FREE IS FOR ME, sponsored by WBSM; THE NATIONAL PEACE POSTER, THE AAA-TRAFFIC SAFETY POSTER CONTEST and SEAT BELT SAFETY - sponsored by St. Luke's Hospital, to name a few. In addition to contests, students also took part in community projects. A New Year's Eve exhibit at Gallery X by students from Hayden/McFadden brought rave reviews; and a Halloween display at V.F. Outlet, Dartmouth, by students from the Junior High, Alternative High and Parenting Teen Program proved the capability and enthusiasm of students in New Bedford's schools.

This year, we again managed to receive funds through the Commonwealth Inservice Institute for a program at the Campbell School, in conjunction with Very Special Arts Massachusetts. Regular and Special Education students participated in Art classes designed to work daily curriculum and to build self-esteem and awareness. The six-month

program proved its success with results from students and staff input. These programs have been extremely successful over these past three years and we look forward, with hope, for the continued funding which makes them possible.

Two students from New Bedford High School received nominations and recommendations again this year to attend the Art All-State Festival at the Worcester Art Museum in Worcester, MA. The High School was honored again this year, for the fourth time, when we were requested to host the Southeast Region interviews for this event.

The upcoming evaluation of New Bedford High School has provided the vehicle to upgrade Art classes and rejuvenate a twenty-year old program. Our efforts have produced a course curriculum which is better correlated and will serve to make a more rounded program with availability to a greater number of students, from Freshmen to Senior. The problem which we face in this newly renovated program is staffing. With only three staff members, it is impossible to implement our improvements. Our current programs available are striving to meet our goals of providing Art in the aesthetically cultural and higher technology of the world today. In as much as our efforts are successful, they are also falling short of being able to provide the well-rounded program that our students deserve.

The efforts of providing a full program were supported by field trips to: Newport Mansions, for Architecture; Polaroid Corporation, high technology; Boston's Science Museum's Omni Theater, film and photography; and The Whaling Museum, local history - to name a few.

The Art Education staff has worked diligently this year, under adverse conditions, to provide a quality program for the students in our schools; a task which has been successful largely due to their enthusiasm and dedication to their programs and the education of our City's youth.

ANNUAL REPORT**CAREER AND OCCUPATIONAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT**

The 1991-92 school year was noted by changes in funding requirements of the Carl Perkins Applied Vocational and Technology Education Act and the expansion of currently existing programs through competitive funding.

The Comprehensive Competencies Program (CCP), offering academic remediation, and the Pregnant and Parenting Teens Program provided expanded services to an increased number of students. Staff training and inservice were also provided through competitive grants, and additional proposals for staff training have been planned and written for the fall of 1992. Descriptions of projects discussed in this report are included under the Federal office Report in this School Report issue.

The Career Development Center was very successful in being awarded a highly competitive grant from the U.S. Department of Education. This grant and others significantly expanded the staff and support services which provided student and family assessments, counseling, remedial instruction, peer and mentor tutoring, and program monitoring and evaluation for occupational education and "at risk students." Special populations students designated under Carl Perkins Act funding as priority members to be served included the academically disadvantaged, economically disadvantaged, special needs, limited English-speaking, and students enrolled in non-traditional areas of training.

Along with program monitoring and evaluation, the staff, staff training, instructional computer hardware and software, supplies, interactive video equipment, and activities provided by the Center were funded through a variety of funding sources during the school year. The projects, their funding sources, and funding totals are listed as follows:

PROJECTS	FUNDING SOURCE	AWARD
Special Populations Integrated Academic Support (a collaborative with Greater New Bedford Regional Vocational Technical High School)	Carl Perkins Act	\$60,000.
Special Populations Academic Support	Carl Perkins Act	\$29,874.

Special Populations	Carl Perkins Act	\$18,513.
Guidance		
Comprehensive Dropout Prevention Program	U.S. Dept. of Education	\$603,243.
TOTAL		\$711,630.

The projects listed above reflect predominantly student centered activities, parent centered activities, and staff training at the Campbell elementary School, the Normandin and Roosevelt Junior High Schools, New Bedford High School, the Adult Evening School and the Pregnant and Parenting Teen Program.

The Basic Skills Peer Tutoring Program was extended through to December 1991. External evaluation of this program has taken place indicating very positive program outcomes. Detailed information will be available on July 1, 1992, and will be included in next year's annual report.

CCP grade equivalent gains within individual grants were as follows:

	Reading	Math	Language Arts
Special Populations	1.0	1.2	
Integrated Academic Support			
Special Populations	1.15	1.5	1.7
Academic Support			
Chapter I	1.1	1.9	1.7
Drop-out Prevention Program			
New Bedford High School	1.1	2.1	2.0
Pregnant and Parenting			
Teens	1.7	2.5	1.5
Overall Totals	1.3	2.1	1.8

Several proposals were submitted this year in support of various new and/or continued services in counseling and remediation. They are as follows:

Proposals**Title VII Project**

A collaborative grant between the Career Development Center and the Transitional Bilingual Education Department. Would provide training in CCP ESL for 2 staff members at New Bedford High School and Roosevelt Junior High School.

Making School Successful Year 2

CCP remedial services continued at Roosevelt Junior High School, expansion to Normandin Junior High School planned.

Serve America Via Experience Program (SAVE)**Comprehensive Dropout Prevention Program - Year 2**

Reapplication for continuation of services to 850 students at the elementary, junior high school, PPTP, and Adult Education levels.

Submitted to:

The U.S. Department of Education

Job Training and Employment Corporation

State Department of Education

U.S. Department of Education (funded June 1992 for \$570,894.)

Project Proposals for SY '92 - '93 for Carl Perkins Act allocation funds are as follows:

Project Title

Special Populations Academic Support Expansion

Special Populations Guidance and Counseling

Award

\$78,364.

\$14,808.

Students to be Served

95 Special Populations Occupational students (Project Ready and Whaler's Rest students)

40 Special Populations Occupational Education students (Project Ready)

The Comprehensive Dropout Prevention Program has served the following grade level/number of students as of 6/1/92.

1	1-2	2	2-3	3	4	4-5	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Ungr	GED	Adult
22	12	28	8	27	24	12	27	33	16	64	260	164	103	95	2	86	25

Total Enrollment = 998

Total Enrollment at Secondary Level = 805

Total number of dropouts at secondary level = 72

Success rate at secondary level = 91%

The Career Development Center's counselors administered aptitude and interest tests which helped students identify areas of potential for them in the career exploration process. The weekly case meetings between the Career Development counselors and the CCP teachers provided an efficient delivery of individualized services to students. As a result, only 9% of the high school level students enrolled in the program (72 of 805) dropped out. Students enrolled were considered "at risk" for dropping out of school, and 91% have planned to continue in the fall as sophomores, juniors, and seniors.

The Pregnant and Parenting Teen Program continues to be operated through a coalition of agencies which advocate on behalf of pregnant and parenting teens in the Greater New Bedford area. Coalition agencies include: New Bedford Public Schools, New Bedford Child and Family Service, Office for Children, and the Greater New Bedford Community Health Center. This year's funding sources were as follows:

EEOG	\$60,100.
CD Block Grant	10,000.
Dept. of Social Services	22,700.
Carl Perkins Act	
Consumer and Homemaking	30,000.
Dept. of Public Welfare	92,225.
PACE (Voucher Day Care)	72,642.
Special Services	
New Bedford Public Schools	9,370.
TOTAL	\$362,938.

Through an extension of the Basic Skills Peer Tutoring grant and funding of the Comprehensive Dropout Prevention Program from the U.S. Department of Education, CCP remedial staff, a counselor, student mentors from U.Mass./Dartmouth and Bristol Community College,

instructional equipment and supplies, and other support services were provided for the Pregnant and Parenting Teen Program.

Educational services offered were as follows:

1. Credit classes grades 7-12.
2. GED preparation
3. ABE classes

Support Services offered:

- Career Counseling and Testing
- Individual and Family Counseling
- School and/or Home Visiting Nurse
- R.N. Health Management - Mother and Child Outreach
- Advocacy
- Parenting Classes/Health Classes
- Child Care
- Home Economics classes
- Adoption Counseling
- Computer - assisted remediation (CCP)
- Home tutoring -
for credit students, 6 weeks after birth of child
- Early childhood Intervention Classes

During the 1991-92 school year, 32 babies were born to the students in the program. Of the 118 student participants, 12 seniors graduated, 26 received a GED, 22 enrolled in the credit program have requested a return to school for the fall of 1991, 2 students have been accepted for junior college for the fall semester and 10 students are waiting to hear, 4 GED students attended B.C.C. second semester, 3 are enrolled in skills training programs, and 23 credit students were home tutored by staff after the birth of their babies. A breakdown of student enrollees shows that 89% of our young women are economically disadvantaged, and 11% are from wage earning families. The beginning of this report shows the grade level gains which these students achieved in the CCP instructional and remedial classes.

A Carl Perkins Act competitive proposal has been written as a collaborative program with Greater New Bedford Regional Vocational Technical High School which would provide 80 single parents World-of-Work instruction and vocational exploration in 8 shop areas, including 4 non-traditional shops. The project is entitled Skills for Self Sufficiency.

A second proposal, for competitive Carl Perkins Act - Consumer and Homekmaking funds, Services to Teen Parents, has been written to provide for a part-time lifeskills teacher and part-time CCP remedial teacher for the program.

The Career and Occupational Department staff, including teaching, counseling, and administrative have helped to develop an expanded Occupational Education Advisory Committee with a membership totalling 90 members with representatives from business, industry, labor, community-based organizations, parents, students, and handicapped and minority representatives. Through individual program committees, our department has received recommendations and assistance from the Advisory Committee to guide us in better preparing our students for the workforce of America 2000.

ANNUAL REPORT**COMPUTER SERVICES DEPARTMENT**

This past year the Department of Computer Services has continued to grow in its operations. There were major improvements in hardware and software for both the educational and administrative applications.

In the Administrative Business Department, programs on the Digital VAX System were customized and enhanced for increased capabilities and financial data retrieval.

In the Educational Administrative Department, the VAX computers continued to process all state attendance reports for the twenty six (26) school's 14,000+ pupils, and again high speed optical scanners this year processed approximately 160,000 grades and printed 20,000+ report cards.

The scheduling system processed approximately 5,500 secondary students into 2,400 course-sections.

Fully operational is now the 75,000 student census data base with a full 5 year history of student records. A newly developed Conduct Card program was implemented at all secondary levels computerizing this operation and providing more meaningful reports and information.

Digital Equipment Corporation donated computer equipment valued at \$12,500.00 to upgrade our VAX main frames.

Word processing software, Wordperfect and Spreadsheet software Lotus 1-2-3 was installed on the VAX system making it available school wide.

City school wide, approximately 70 new Apple and IBM compatible units were acquired through various Federal and State Grants bringing the total to approximately 1,127 terminals and computers.

ANNUAL REPORT**EDUCATIONAL MEDIA DEPARTMENT**

The 1991-92 school year was a difficult one for the Educational Media Department. A reduction in force brought about by budget cuts reduced our staffing to its lowest level in twenty years. Funding for library books was severely cut.

Thanks to outstanding support and considerable effort from our Central IMC and High School staff, we have, however been able to continue to provide many of the services previously provided.

Five hundred and ten local field trips were booked for 18,000 student visits. The Children's Museum in Dartmouth with 69 classes and the Whaling Museum with 65 classes, continue to top the list of requests. Others include Tripp's Apple Farm by 63 classes, the center and branch libraries by 48 classes, Sunbeam Bakery by 59 classes, the local Police and Fire Departments by 43 classes, and St. Luke's Hospital by 37 classes. Other popular destinations included Patnaude's Aquarium with 17 classes, Stop & Shop and Shaw's Supermarkets with 10 classes, McDonalds with 18 classes, the Fire Museum with 9 classes, the Standard-Times with 8 classes and Sowle the Florist with 14 classes. Hundreds of students at all levels also participated in out-of-town trips. Plymouth Plantation, Boston Science and Children's Museums, Newport Mansions, the Woods Hole Aquarium, the Heritage Plantation, New England Aquarium, Salem Witch Museum, Slater Mill, and the Mystic Aquarium were among the more popular trips taken. We extend our sincere thanks to all public agencies and private business for their interest and co-operation.

Approximately 8,500 students from all levels were bussed to the Zeiterion school-time performances throughout the year. Special thanks go to the Zeiterion staff, Tremblay Bus Company, and our own transportation department for their co-operation and assistance.

Seventy-six new titles were added to our central educational videotape library. This collection which now exceeds 1,500 titles is in constant demand by teachers. A new laser disk collection of thirty titles was established. With video disk players now available in all of our elementary schools, this collection has very quickly become a popular one with our teachers.

Chapter II Block Grant funds were used to purchase additional audio-visual and micro-computer equipment for all of these schools at all levels.

Teachers from all schools participated in Title II workshops which provided training in using innovative techniques in the teaching of math and science.

Our Media Center at New Bedford High School has become a member of S.E.A.L., Southeastern Automated Libraries. This membership provides access via computer modem to the resources of this twenty member library network.

The Media Center at New Bedford High School continues to provide a wide range of media services for students and staff. We are pleased to note that our collection has been completely computerized, a considerable task for which our staff deserves considerable credit. A ten percent increase in student attendance in these centers also exemplifies the efforts extended by our staff.

At the three Junior High Schools, our media specialists made use of their computer labs to instruct students in library orientation, encyclopedia research, vocabulary and problem solving. During the periods in which the library is "open" or class-free, teachers from all disciplines are bringing their classes to the center to use the computers.

Three senior aides assigned through Coastline Elderly Services continue to provide valuable assistance to our Media Centers at Carney Academy, Hayden-McFadden and New Bedford High School. Special thanks to the staff at Coastline for all of their efforts in our behalf.

Twenty two volunteer instructional media building representatives continue to do an admirable job in co-ordinating media services in schools not staffed with media personnel.

For the seventh consecutive year, our department sponsored a summer video program in co-operation with the Job Training and Employment Corporation. Forty-five student participants were trained in communications skills including video production, photography, computer instruction, and journalism. Our staff felt that overall it was our best summer ever.

The IMC was once again awarded a State Dept. of Education grant to house the Health and Human Services Resource Library which was formerly located at the now defunct Regional Center in Lakeville.

In retrospect, this has been another productive year, despite the difficulties presented by cutbacks in personnel and material. The ability of our staff to meet the considerable challenges found this year is a tribute to their talent and determination to provide the best media services possible for our students and teachers.

ANNUAL REPORT**HEALTH EDUCATION DEPARTMENT**

The past school year has been another year of rapid growth and expansion of the programs offered and coordinated through the Health Education Office. New Bedford Public Schools was awarded a Drug Free Schools Grant for the 1991-92 school in the amount of \$216,889, which enabled the Health Education Office to expand the scope of programs and activities offered to staff and students throughout the district.

5TH AND 6TH GRADE SUBSTANCE ABUSE PREVENTION EDUCATORS

Through Drug Free Schools funding, two health educators were hired to provide all fifth and sixth grade students with a series of 15 lessons around topics including smoking, substance use/abuse and the health hazards associated with them. Also discussed was alcohol/drug abuse as a family disease. The lessons were designed to develop or enhance students' self-esteem, decision-making, problem solving, communication and access to support systems.

Classroom teachers responded favorably to the program and suggested that the program would be more effective if it was a year long program. The personnel from the Health Education Office agree but would recommend offering other life skills topics such as nutrition, growth and development, and physical/sexual abuse.

Other programs for the ELEMENTARY LEVEL included:

The **SUPPLEMENTAL SPEAKERS POOL** was expanded and a total of 506 hours of substance abuse prevention education was delivered to approximately 9,000 elementary students in grades 1-6. Agencies and individuals who presented included the following:

- Grade 1 —Narconon, School Committeeman Atty. J. Mark Treadup
- Grade 2 —Narconon
- Grade 3 —Sheriff's Office - K-9 Unit
- Grade 3 —Mayor John Bullard, Councilman Frederick Kalisz
- Grade 4 —Detective Don Cook - Police Dept. & Wonderbowl
- Grade 5 —Sheriff's Office
- Grade 6 —New Bedford Council on Alcoholism

AIDS PREVENTION EDUCATION - 10 lessons were provided to approximately 220 fifth and sixth grade students along with 6 **GROWTH**

and DEVELOPMENT Lessons to approximately 130 fifth and sixth grade students.

This year, the New Bedford Public Schools became a member of the **Bristol Alliance**, a non-profit organization facilitated through the Bristol County District Attorney's Office. The **Alliance** offers a cadre of services from student programs, staff training programs, parent programs, and technical assistance for grants writing.

This year, the Bristol Alliance provided the following programs to the New Bedford Public Schools: 1) Mock Trial for sixth graders in six of our elementary schools that dramatized the juvenile court system, the individuals and their roles from the legal and enforcement agencies and how the juvenile system addresses youth brought to court on substance abuse charges; 2) Parent Programs for the Hayden McFadden School as part of their ongoing parent workshops; 3) 12 hours of training focusing on the substances adolescents abuse, the drug paraphernalia associated with those drugs, and networking between the schools and the courts, for staff at two junior high schools who are involved with Student Assistance Programs.

Programs offered at the **JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL LEVEL** included a series of 125 classes over a five week period, for seventh and eighth grade students on a variety of topics including growth and development, problem solving, decision making, relationships and communication.

Two additional programs were offered to junior high students that were a collaborative effort between the Health Education Office and local agencies and university. The University of Massachusetts-Dartmouth Nursing students provided substance abuse prevention education as part of their internship practicum and the Center for Human Services provided a classroom presentation about the affects of substances on pregnant women and their babies.

PAACA - Positive Action Against Chemical Addictions organized a series of lectures for junior high students. Recovering Addicts, ranging in age from 16-30, discussed issues of addiction and recovery.

A follow-up **NEEDS ASSESSMENT SURVEY** with eight grade students at Roosevelt Junior High School was completed in the spring. The main focus of the survey was centered around questions pertaining to substance use. It will be compared with the results of the same survey administered to students at Roosevelt during school year 1990-91.

Programs offered at the **HIGH SCHOOL** included a series of Health

Education classes on AIDS information presented by seven senior **Peer Educators** to the freshman Health classes. This type of program will be enhanced next year through a grant from the Island Foundation received through the Mayor's Drug-Free Community Partnership. The intent of the grant is to identify 45 ninth grade students who have shown an interest or aptitude toward health careers. This grant will allow us to train these ninth graders in the peer education model so they can in turn provide Health lessons in the classroom, as well as allow the ninth graders an opportunity to meet individuals from the health profession.

Two students from the **SADD Chapter** at the high school participated in a State-wide Moose Lodge youth congress in Boston in early March. The purpose of the program was to allow peer educators from across the State to share strategies for affecting change in adolescent behavior. At the conclusion of the program, each participant was asked to return to his/her school and provide substance abuse prevention/intervention programming for their peers. Those who successfully complete this task are eligible for a \$1,000.00 scholarship from the Moose Lodge.

An end of the year program for sophomores and juniors included a production of the play, "**Eddie Was Here**", written by the brother of a high school student who died from alcohol poisoning and a discussion period afterwards. The freshman class attended a program that included recovering adolescents and adults describing their addiction process and how friends can intervene in a positive way.

Programs offered for the health education **STAFF** included several health education lectures offered by the Department of Education on the topics of AIDS and the implementation of the DOE approved AIDS prevention curriculum for grades K-12.

A group of **SPECIAL CONTESTS AND PROGRAMS** were coordinated through the Health Education Office. Materials were received from the American Cancer Society and distributed to all elementary students encouraging them to remain non-smokers and to also have them encourage their family members and friends to give up smoking during November for the Great American Smokeout.

A local radio station, WBSM, in conjunction with the elementary art teachers, organized and coordinated a "**DRUG FREE IS FOR YOU AND ME**" **POSTER/ESSAY CONTEST** for students in grades K-8 with classroom and school winners. A celebration dinner for the school winners was held at the Lakesider in North Dartmouth where each of the

school winners received prizes ranging from candy to gift certificates to televisions to bikes.

Forty-two **SUPPORT AND SELF ESTEEM GROUPS** were organized and facilitated by both school personnel and outside consultants to help students develop necessary healthy life skills. Approximately 1,034 students and 30 staff participated in these innovative and highly successful groups.

Several **PARENT PROGRAMS** were organized at Hayden-McFadden School to help parents deal with parenting skills, substance abuse and other important issues.

Many **MEETINGS AND CONFERENCES** were attended by the Health Education Office personnel. When necessary, staff from the Health Education Office attended monthly principal meetings to announce all up-coming programs. Staff from the office also had the opportunity to attend the State Conferences on recommended AIDS Policies and Procedures as well as curriculum recommendations for grades K-12.

Staff from the Health Education Office represented the school system on several committees including the Appropriation Committee for United Way, the Drug Free Community Partnership, and the CanBe Project, a community-based peer education program, facilitated through Boston University.

A **STUDENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM** was developed and implemented at Normandin Junior High School. The goal of the program was to identify students in need of services and provide them with support in a variety of areas including drug and alcohol concerns, family problems, adolescent issues, etc. and staff with training to enhance skills for identifying students. A Core Team of eleven staff members was organized and participants received twelve hours of training around SAP development and implementation. Fifteen students were referred to the team and one, ten week, in-school support group was offered in which eight students were able to participate.

STAFF IN-SERVICE AND TRAININGS presentations were offered to staff at Normandin in the form of twelve hours of SAP development as well as an in-service on "How to Effectively Communicate With a Student in 42 Minutes" by Dr. David Connor. Also provided for the SAP teams at Normandin and Roosevelt Junior High Schools was 12 hours of training focusing on the substances adolescents abuse, the drug paraphernalia

associated with those drugs, and networking between the schools and the courts, for staff at two junior high schools who are involved with Student Assistance Programs.

The many programs and projects developed and offered throughout the school year would not have been possible without the continued commitment and dedication of the administration, counseling and teaching staff and all those who work with children to help them develop the necessary skills for a happy and productive life. The Health Education Office would like to thank all those who have helped make this a successful year.

ANNUAL REPORT**MUSIC EDUCATION DEPARTMENT****I. SERVICES****A. ELEMENTARY**

1. After the Personnel cuts in the Music Department for this school year, five elementary vocal teachers remained to cover classes in the twenty-two elementary schools. Even after eliminating all Kindergarten classes from service, it was necessary to use two of the elementary instrumental teachers in order to provide classroom music instruction for the entire number of schools in the system. One instrumental teacher covered both vocal and instrumental classes at Pulaski, while the other provided the same for Mt. Pleasant and Campbell. Each elementary vocal teacher had nine classes per day including Glee Clubs in each of the elementary schools. Vocal teachers saw their classes once every two weeks, with Glee Clubs once-a-week, while instrumental lessons continued on a once-a-week basis.
2. The three remaining elementary instrumental teachers covered the remaining fourteen schools, so that all 22 elementary schools received instruction in band instruments, such as flute, clarinet, alto sax, trumpet, trombone and percussion instruments. A total of 310 students were serviced by the elementary instrumental teachers.
3. The department was left with one remaining elementary String teacher. This teacher alone covered nine of the twenty-two elementary schools, filling every possible minute with instruction time. Schools to be serviced were chosen based on their previous String student enrollments. These were very difficult choices because of the past success of elementary Strings. Those schools chosen were: Ashley, Lincoln, Pulaski, Parker, Rodman, Winslow, Hannigan, Hathaway, and Carney Academy. A total of 104 students were serviced by this one String teacher. String students who had previously been in the program, using a school-owned instrument and were now taking private lessons were allowed to continue use of the school-owned instrument. This, hopefully, kept the learning process going until a better fiscal time when the program could be rebuilt.

B. JUNIOR HIGH

1. There were little, if any, changes in the junior high vocal and instrumental programs. One Vocal teacher and one Instrumental teacher remained at each of the three junior high schools. The Itinerant String Teacher position, however, had been eliminated, therefore, providing no String instruction in the junior highs during the school day. The All-City Junior High String Orchestra Extracurricular Advisor position, however, was allowed to continue. This gave a small stipend for the continuance of the All-City Junior High Orchestra. The Advisor worked tirelessly with these students, shaping them into a fine junior high String performance group.

C. NEW BEDFORD HIGH SCHOOL

1. The elimination of one teacher at the high school level changed the teaching schedules of the two remaining instrumental teachers there. The Orchestra came under the tutelage of Donald Vasconcelles, while the Guitar and Piano I classes were moved into Russell Campoli's schedule. Mrs. Cassandra Morgan's Vocal classes continued to grow in numbers with nearly two-hundred students taking part in the seven different choral courses offered. The New Bedford High School Band saw its largest influx of Freshmen (44) bringing the Band into Division IV in the N.E.S.B.A. competition circuit ratings. The total Band enrollment was one hundred four students. Piano I and II classes increased also to nearly sixty students.

II. AWARDS AND COMMUNITY PERFORMANCES

A. ELEMENTARY

1. Because of the discontinuance of the Friday-afternoon All-City programs: Band, Chorus, and Orchestra, several alternatives took place. An All-City Chorus was established this year to again perform in the Annual All-City Christmas Choral Festival. Students from each elementary school were recommended by their Vocal Music teachers and then, auditioned by the Director of Music in order to be chosen to be a part of the All-City Chorus. Once chosen, the stipulation that parents had to provide transportation to several rehearsals and the concert, cut down the number of students making up the Chorus to approximately 120. Their performance at the Festival, however, was terrific!

2. The All-City Elementary Band this year was determined by the best musicians who could also be transported to rehearsals by their parents. The Annual All-City Instrumental Festival, held in early May provided the performance venue for this group of 110 students who rehearsed together as an ensemble for only four evenings. The chosen music was easier and the group of students this year was better than usual. Their performance was excellent.
3. Through "Bright Nights" the All-City Elementary Orchestra continued but on a much smaller scale. Marilyn Melanson offered this Friday afternoon option to String students who could pay the tuition and have parents provide transportation. The group rehearsed at the Paul Rodrigues Administration Building Auditorium, performed in the All-City Instrumental Festival, and took part in an annual Fiddle Fest at Sandwich High School in the Spring.
4. Two elementary choral students were chosen to take part in the American Choral Director's Association All-Eastern Conference-Concert as part of the Honors Children's Choir. They were from DeValles: Sarah Paiva and from Swift: Jarrad Nunes. The children attended the three-day Festival held at Boston's Copley Place where they rehearsed with other children chosen from the entire Eastern Division. They presented a glorious concert at the New South Church in Boston's historic Copley Square.
5. Each elementary school Glee Club presented a Christmas and a Spring concert at their schools, with the exception of the Charles S. Ashley School. Because of the unfinished work on the Ashley Auditorium's restoration, and the illness of Mrs. Rachel Breault, the Glee Club performed their Christmas Concert at the Lincoln School and an extra-special sixth-grade graduation at their school this year. Instrumental students, as well as, String students where applicable, took part in these programs held for the school populations and the general public.

B. JUNIOR HIGH

1. Sixteen junior high students were chosen to take part in the Southeast District MMEA Junior High Music Festival. Three String students, three Band students, and ten Choral students were chosen by audition and attended the Festival held this year at Mansfield High School.

2. Seven students were chosen to take part in the Junior High S.E.M.S.B.A. Music Festival this year held at Abington High School. One Chorus student, one Band student, and five String students were chosen to participate.
3. The third annual All-City Junior High Band Festival was held again this year at Keith Junior High School. The All-City Junior High Marching Band and the Flag Unit opened the Concert. Every junior high band member performed, first representing their own school as each of the junior high bands played separately, then, they combined to perform the finale, all one-hundred twenty-five pieces strong.
4. The Whaling City Junior High Flag Unit and the Whaling City Junior High Marching Band took part in the New Bedford Veteran's Day Parade, the Quincy Christmas Parade, the Falmouth Christmas Parade and the New Bedford Memorial Day Parade. The group proudly sported new uniforms this year, purchased through funds raised by the Junior High Band & String Boosters in a Car Wash held in early October. The Junior High Flag Unit went on during the Winter season to compete as a Winter Guard in the N.E.S.B.A. circuit. The group was the only junior high group in the Novice Division. They came in second place at the finals held at Boston University with all of their competition being high school Guards.
5. The All-City Junior High String Orchestra and Concert Band each performed at the All-City Instrumental Festival before leaving on their competition trip to New York City and Rutger's University. Several groups were entered in the competition. The All-City Junior High Jazz Band, the Concert Band, the String Orchestra, the Flag Unit, and soloist Alex Valentine were all judged in their respective divisions. Each group received First Place as they swept away the competition at this New York City Festival.
6. Each junior high presented evening concerts for the general public, while Roosevelt's Band and Chorus visited the Donovan Center, the Schwartz Center, and the Senior Citizen Center-Downtown as part of their sharing with the community program. Choral students from the three junior high schools also performed at the All-City Choral Festival in December.
7. The All-City Junior High Concert Band and the All-City Junior High String Orchestra took part in an adjudication at Rhode Island College in which the groups scored "excellent" and "superior",

respectively. The program included the adjudication at the college, then the remainder of the day was spent at Rocky Point Amusement Park in Warwick, RI.

8. Two junior high choral students were chosen to be in the ACDA All-Eastern Honors Middle School Choir. They were Vivienne Gomes and Suzanne Medeiros, both from Normandin. The Festival took place in Boston, MA in early February.

C. NEW BEDFORD HIGH SCHOOL

1. With 44 new Freshmen entering the Band, the majority of Band members were new to the experience. It was a credit to the teachers, Donald Vasconcelles and Robert Dupre as well as the Band Staff that the group came in third place in Division IV behind Dartmouth and Blackstone-Millville High Schools at the N.E.S.B.A. finals. The students did the best that they could do and we were extremely proud of them. The New Bedford High Whaler Marching Band also marched in the following parades: New Bedford's Veteran's Day and Memorial Day Parades, the Quincy Christmas NESBA Competition Parade, and the Bristol, Rhode Island "Fourth-of-July Parade".

2. Three Band students, three String students, and twenty Choral students were chosen to take part in the Southeast District MMEA Music Festival, this year held at Bridgewater State College. From audition results at District, twelve New Bedford High School students were chosen to audition for the MMEA All-State Festival. Of those twelve, eleven were chosen. The eleven attended All-State held in Waltham, MA. From the All-State auditions students who were not Seniors were recommended to take part in the MENC All-Eastern Festival to be held next year (1993) in Springfield, MA. One New Bedford High School alto, Kirsten Almeida, was chosen for that honor. Two students, Adam Morris and Jeffrey Oliveira were chosen for the ACDA All-Eastern High School Honors Choir. This makes five years in a row that Mrs. Cassandra Morgan has prepared students for all the All-Eastern Festivals, the bi-annual MENC All-Eastern and the alternating bi-annual ACDA All-Eastern concerts.

3. One New Bedford High School instrumentalist was chosen to be a member of the MENC National Honors High School Orchestra. Clarinetist Margo Saulnier performed in first and second chair positions in the orchestra. This event was held in New Orleans, LA in early April.

4. A "Victorian Dinner" was presented by the Choral students in conjunction with the Drama Club presentation of "A Christmas Carol". Orchestra, Chorus and Band students took part in this event. The Musical presented in the Spring, "Me and My Girl" found Choral students on stage with Band and Orchestra students making up the Pit Orchestra.
5. The New Bedford High School Concert Chorale performed along with the Handel & Haydn Society of Boston's Chorus and Orchestra at a third annual combined concert held at the First Unitarian Church of New Bedford. The concert was free of charge and open to the public due to a grant received by the Society to encourage these educational concerts.
6. The Show Choirs at New Bedford High School took part in several competitions this year. They performed at the Tri-County Music Festival, which New Bedford High School hosted, as well as the Shepherd Hill High School Competition. Both Show Choirs, "Reflections" and "Pure Energy" came in second place with silver awards.
7. The New Bedford High School Band competed in the Music Festivals Ocean City, MD weekend in Parade Review, Concert Band, and Field Show events. The Band came in first place in all of these categories overcoming stiff competition from high schools from all over the Eastern Seaboard.
8. The New Bedford High School Concert Chorale received a Gold medal at the A.C.D.A. All-State competitions and went on to receive First place scores at the North American Music Festivals weekend in Boston, MA.
9. Both the New Bedford High Concert Band and the Marching Band performed at the annual All-City Instrumental Music Festival. The New Bedford High School Stage Band performed, as well. Their expertise demonstrated the culmination of the instrumental teaching excellence here in New Bedford.
10. Both Chorus students and the New Bedford High Band performed at the Night-School and Day-School Graduation ceremonies for this year's graduates adding to the dignity and beauty of these events.

11. The New Bedford High School Stage Band under the direction of Russell Campoli took part in Jazz competitions and Festivals in the Massachusetts area. They performed at the UMass/Dartmouth Jazz Festival and for the South End Business Association's Celebration Days at Hazelwood Park.
12. Piano and guitar students presented a Recital for parents and administration in early June. Approximately forty parents attended, applauding these students as they performed on their chosen instruments.
13. A Pops Concert was presented by the Instrumental students at New Bedford High School in February. The location of this annual event was changed from White's of Westport to the New Bedford High School Bronspiegel Auditorium. The event was especially well received. Performances by the Concert Band and the Orchestra were conducted by Mr. Donald Vasconcelles, while the Stage Band's offerings were conducted by Mr. Russell Campoli.
14. Auditions for incoming Freshmen for membership in all of the performing groups at New Bedford High School were held by the individual teachers. The number of students who wish to become a part of the varied Music programs at New Bedford High School continues to grow.

III. CONCLUSION

All of the members of the staff of the Office of Music Education have put in that extra special effort to keep the programs functioning this year, despite the cutbacks in personnel. Because of that effort, a well-deserved summer vacation is needed. We hope that we have weathered the worst of the storm, but only the future will tell. At any rate, we can all be proud of the accomplishments during this trying year. Our students and teachers have done exceptionally well.

ANNUAL REPORT**PHYSICAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT**

Physical Education offerings to all students in the New Bedford School System continued with no appreciable changes in the program.

The elementary teaching assignments were somewhat modified due to a reduction in teaching staff. However, the existing staff did an outstanding job of maintaining quality programs in all schools.

The implementation of **rope jumping** for fitness in all **elementary schools** proved to be very successful. **Three** levels of criteria were developed by staff members for students to show proficiency in both **jumping** and **conditioning**. Over **2,000 students** achieved at least one skill level of rope jumping and were rewarded with either a certificate or appropriate fitness patch.

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BILINGUAL DEPARTMENT

The Bilingual Education Program serviced students from Portugal, Puerto Rico, the Cape Verde Islands, The Dominican Republic, China, and Spain at Roosevelt Junior High School. Over half the students in the program gained mention on the Principal's List and Faculty Honors List by the third quarter of the year. Three bilingual students' academic achievements were recognized with lunch with the principal at Davy's Locker.

Bilingual students participated in 4 intramural sports and 5 extra curricular activities including a pen pal program with Friends' Academy and the opening of new savings accounts with assistance from Citizens Federal Credit Union personnel.

Following a class visit from the New Bedford unit of the Civil Air Patrol, a group of bilingual students with parents and a teacher attended an evening meeting. Two students chose to join and have earned cadet status.

To assist with a process writing project, bilingual students met with a representative of the New Bedford fishing industry to better understand the problems and to explore solutions in their writings.

One, second-year bilingual class participated in a biweekly read-aloud program with the first graders at the Taylor School using early childhood literature. The bilingual students took the opportunity to practice English away from the classroom, and students from both schools enjoyed the meetings.

ENGLISH DEPARTMENT

The school year 1991-92 was marked by several accomplishments and events at the junior high school level. Worthy of note were:

1. Successful participation by junior high school students in the Delta Kappa Gamma and Holocaust Essay Contests.
2. Special purchase of texts and materials for recently established study skills program in grades seven and eight.

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3. "First Place" designation for Emerson Wong, a seventh grader at Normandin in the **Standard Times** regional spelling bee. Competing in a field of some sixty students from all over southeastern Massachusetts. Emerson was sent to Washington, DC to compete at the national level.

MATHEMATICS DEPARTMENT

This school year was a year of change for many members of the MATHEMATICS DEPARTMENT. It also brought some new and innovative ideas to the department.

An analysis of the results of the assessment tests of 1990 in grade 8, indicated a need for improvement in the area of fractions. As a result, the members of the Mathematics Department at the three junior highs participated in workshops dealing with hands-on training in the use of fraction bars. The funding came from the Dwight D. Eisenhower Grant.

The members of the junior high math department have become involved in many workshops dealing with the integration of math and science. Two members of the department at Normandin Junior High have been accepted as part of a team, along with two science department members at Normandin, to develop material for the integration of math and science into the junior high curriculum. At Roosevelt, one member has become part of a team, again with a science teacher, to develop material to increase the number of women into the study of mathematics and science.

Although I have been unable to get to visit the junior high schools as often as I would have liked, it is my intent to do so on a more regular schedule next year. It is also my intent to work with the junior highs and develop more in the area of curriculum and philosophy.

The Age of Technology is upon us. The next few years are going to be important year for those who teach mathematics. It will be the role of the MATHEMATICS DEPARTMENT to provide the city and state with students who are computer literate, good in problem solving skills and able to analyze and think logically. The members of the MATHEMATICS DEPARTMENT at the three junior high schools are ready and willing to face this challenge.

SCHOOL REPORT

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

STATISTICS POPULATION & VALUATION (ASSESSED)

Population of the City - CENSUS - January 1, 1991 106,237

Valuation of Taxable Property - REAL ESTATE:

Residential	=	2,373,084,809.
Commercial	=	419,346,644.
Industrial	=	282,486,150.
TOTAL VALUE	-	3,074,917,603.
TOTAL TAX	-	37,621,739.16

PERSONAL PROPERTY:

TOTAL VALUE - 88,114,579.
TOTAL TAX - 1,812,516.89

The figures listed above are totals for the F1991 for all taxable property in the City of New Bedford.

Valuation of School Houses and Lots - \$85,008,100.

APPROPRIATIONS

Rate of Taxation per \$1,000 (Residential)	9.16.
Rate of Taxation per \$1,000 (CIP)	20.57.
Amount of General Purposes (Budget)	\$47,399,829.

**NEW BEDFORD PUBLIC SCHOOL CENSUS
(District Wide)**

Number of children between 5 and 16 years of age and illiterates
(not having completed the sixth grade) between 16 and 18 years of age:

Number of children between 5 and 7 years	4041
Number of children between 8 and 15 years	10801
Number of children between 16 and 18 years (not having completed Gr.6)	0

SCHOOL ORGANIZATION - October 1, 1991

High School	1
Junior High Schools	3
Alternative School	1
Elementary Schools	22
Kindergarten Sessions	52
Bilingual Sessions	8
Special Education Classes:	
Pre-School Special Needs	8
Early Childhood Kindergarten	10
Early Childhood Ed. Development	10
Educational Development I	15
Educational Development II	14
Non Categorical Ed. Resource	9
Perceptual Development (1-6)	24
Special Education Classes:	
Hearing Handicapped	2
CHART (Elementary - JR. HIGH SCHOOL)	8
Special Education Resource Rooms	25
New Bedford High School:	
Non/Cat. PD (9-12)	2
Educational Development (9-12)	9
CHART (9-12)	4
Special Educational Resource Rooms	2
Bilingual Classes - Transitional Bilingual Education:	
High School	12
Junior High Schools	7
Elementary Schools	40
Pre-School - Title VII (At Pulaski)	2
Pre-School - Chapter I ESL (At Pulaski)	1
Pre-School Classes	12
Talented & Gifted Classes	6
Permanent School Houses	27

SCHOOL CENSUS**OCTOBER 1, 1991****SCHOOL ENROLLMENT - BY SCHOOL**

New Bedford High School	3302
Alternative Site High School	48
TOTAL HIGH SCHOOL	3350
Keith Jr. High School	727
Normandin Jr. High School	871
Roosevelt Jr. High School	601
Alternative Jr. High School	11
TOTAL JR. HIGH SCHOOL	2210
Ashley	411
Brooks	288
Campbell	262
Carney	718
Congdon	431
DeValles	465
Dunbar	159
Gomes	744
Hannigan	382
Hathaway	304
Hayden-McFadden	839
Kempton	177
Lincoln	378
Mt.Pleasant	306
Ottiwell	478
Parker	558
Phillips Ave.	191
Pulaski	863
Rodman	190
Swift	249
Taylor	286
Winslow	339
TOTAL ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS	9018
GRAND TOTAL:	14,578

SCHOOL REPORT

ENROLLMENT

NEW BEDFORD PUBLIC SCHOOLS 1991-1992

	TOTAL MEMBERSHIP	ENROLLMENT OCT. 1, 1991	AVERAGE MEMBERSHIP	AVERAGE DAILY ATTENDANCE	AGGREGATE MEMBERSHIP
New Bedford High School	3535	3302		3118.7	
Junior High Schools	2387	2199		2164.1	
Elementary Schools	8373	7845		7575.6	
Alternative Site	87	59		53.13	
Kindergarten	1357	1173		1161.4	
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	15,739	14,578		14,072.9	2,500,499
				13,034.07	

ASSESSMENT OF SCHOOL DEPARTMENT BUILDINGS AND PROPERTY

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TUITION RATES

Rates for tuition for non-resident pupils for the school year beginning September 1, 1991, payable in advance are:

High School	\$3,852.00
Elementary	2,200.00
Kindergarten	1,600.00
Evening School - Resident	(per course) 45.00
- Non-resident	(per course) 60.00
Special Education	8,800.00

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

Money Raised by Taxation
July 1, 1991 - June 30, 1992

FY1992 Appropriations	42,904,148
Teacher Deferral	2,100,000
Receipts and Transfers	2,797,318
FY1991 Appropriations	
Encumbered-General Expense	140,507
Encumbered-Salaries & Wages	
Total Appropriations	47,941,973
1992 Expenditures	47,291,330
1991 Encumbrances pd. 1992	97,332
Total Expenditures 1992	47,388,662
1991 Encumbrances	43,175
1992 Encumbrances -	
General Expense	0
1992 Encumbrances -	
Salaries & Wages	0
Net Balance Unexpended 6-30-92	43,175

NET EXPENDITURES

Total Expenditures	47,388,662
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EXPENDITURES - MONEY RAISED BY TAXATION

Salaries & Wages	
Administrative	742,756
Instruction	31,408,613
Other School Services	1,293,793
Custodial & Maintenance	3,752,961
Total Salaries	37,198,123

GENERAL EXPENSES

School Committee	\$ 9,378
Superintendent's Expenses	117,349
Directors' Expenses	10,583
Directors' Expenses - Special Ed.	—
Principal's Expenses	19,263
Classroom Supplies	450,884
Classroom Supplies - Special Ed.	188,185
Transportation - Teachers Fixed Travel	8,560
Transportation - Fixed Travel - Special Ed.	7,200
Evening School	—
Textbooks	175,770
Textbooks - Special Ed.	15,610
Library Services	4,310
Library Services - Special Ed.	—
Instructional Media	39,017
Guidance Services	7,521
Psychological Services	16,613
Psychological Services - Special Ed.	126,237
Attendance Dept. Expenses	—
Attendance Officers' Transportation	950
Health Dept. Expenses	92,587
Health Dept. Transportation	3,600
Pupil Transportation	575,532
Transportation - Special Ed.	1,434,041
Operation School Buses	27,844
Transportation Insurance	41,627
Replacement School Buses	—
Maintenance School Buses	75,263
Food Services	—
Athletics	61,550
Other Student Body Activities	19,470
Custodial Services	164,319
Fuel-Heating	821,769
Electricity	786,307
Gas	37,765
Telephone	199,169
Maintenance-Grounds	17,641
Maintenance-Buildings	1,012,544
Maintenance-Equipment	241,113
Insurance-Athletics	6,040
Occ. Ed. - Fixed Charges	—
Civic Activities	153

Insurance - Liability	21,387
Insurance - Special Ed.	_____
Compensation	317,775
Compensation - Special Ed.	17,936
Rental - Buildings	_____
Transportation - Non-Public Schools	80,024
Acquisition New Equipment	66,182
Acquisition New Equipment - Special Ed.	3,734
Replacement Equipment	39,288
Tuition	2,529,767
TOTAL	\$ 9,891,857
PENSIONS	201,350
TOTAL EXPENDITURES 7/1/91-6/30/92	\$10,093,207

REVOLVING ACCOUNTS NOT INCLUDED IN OTHER TOTALS

ATHLETICS

Balance on Hand	\$56,946
Income 7/1/91-6/30/92	98,525
Total Income 7/1/91-6/30/92	\$155,471
Expenses 7/1/91-6/30/92	95,459
Balance 6/30/92	\$60,012

CAFETERIAS

Balance on Hand	\$291,744
Income 7/1/91-6/30/92	3,513,928
Reimbursement Receivable	291,286
Total Income 7/1/91-6/30/92	4,096,958
Expenses 7/1/91-6/30/92	4,096,958
Balance 6/30/92	0

CONT ED & SUMMER SCHOOL

Balance on Hand	\$559,672
Income 7/1/91-6/30/92	303,850
Total Income 7/1/91-6/30/92	\$463,522
Expenses 7/1/91-6/30/92	274,309
Balance 6/30/92	\$189,213

IA/OCC ED

Balance on Hand	\$40,596
Income 7/1/91-6/30/92	<u>56,206</u>
Total Income 7/1/91-6/30/92	\$96,802
Expenses 7/1/91-6/30/92	<u>59,566</u>
Balance 6/30/92	\$37,236

PUBLIC LAW 874 FEDERAL

Balance on Hand	\$90,526
Income 7/1/91-6/30/92	<u>85,017</u>
Total Income 7/1/91-6/30/92	\$175,543
Expenses 7/1/91-6/30/92	<u>149,026</u>
Balance 6/30/92	\$26,517

**RECEIPTS FROM OTHER SOURCES
PAID TO CITY TREASURER**

Total Local Revenue	\$ 413,726
Revenue from Other Districts in Commonwealth Tuition	1,079,812
Revenue from the Commonwealth School Aid Fund	
Chapter 70 (Amended)	38,619,471
State Aid to Pupil Transportation Chapter 71, Sections 7A & 7B & Chapter 71A	617,071
School Construction Aid Chapter 645 (Amended)	1,566,718
Aid for Tuition & Transportation of State Wards Chapter 765	0
Total Revenue from Commonwealth	<u>\$42,296,798</u>

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EQUAL EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITY**

Receipts	\$7,241,800
Disbursements	<u>\$7,241,800</u>
BALANCE	0

INCOME FROM TRUST FUNDS
7/1/91 — 6/30/92

JONATHAN BOURNE FUND

Balance on Hand 7/1/91	\$1,527
Income 7/1/91-6/30/92	
Total Income	\$1,527
Expenses 7/1/91-6/30/92	60
Balance 6/30/92	<u>\$1,467</u>

ELIZABETH CARTER FUND

Balance on Hand 7/1/91	\$1,918
Income 7/1/91-6/30/92	69
Total Income	\$1,987
Expenses 7/1/91-6/30/92	100
Balance 6/30/92	<u>\$1,887</u>

ELWYN CAMPBELL SCHOLARSHIP

Balance on Hand 7/1/91	\$1,699
Income 7/1/91-6/30/92	62
Total Income	\$1,761
Expenses 7/1/91-6/30/92	200
Balance 6/30/92	<u>\$1,561</u>

SYLVIA HOWLAND FUND

Balance on Hand 7/1/91	\$1,030
Income 7/1/91-6/30/92	
Total Income	\$1,030
Expenses 7/1/91-6/30/92	
Balance 6/30/92	<u>\$1,030</u>

BEATRICE MOSGROVE FUND

Balance on Hand 7/1/91	\$16,297
Income 7/1/91-6/30/92	962
Total Income	\$17,259
Expenses 7/1/91-6/30/92	436
Balance 6/30/92	\$16,823

C.S. PAISLER FUND

Balance on Hand 7/1/91	\$2,410
Income 7/1/91-6/30/92	941
Total Income	\$3,351
Expenses 7/1/91-6/30/92	819
Balance 6/30/92	\$2,532

ETTA ABBOTT SMEAD FUND

Balance on Hand 7/1/91	\$1,123
Income 7/1/91-6/30/92	
Total Income	\$1,123
Expenses 7/1/91-6/30/92	463
Balance 6/30/92	\$660

WOLLISON FUND

Balance on Hand 7/1/91	\$427
Income 7/1/91-6/30/92	
Total Income	\$427
Expenses 7/1/91-6/30/92	
Balance 6/30/92	\$427

**EMPLOYEES IN SERVICE
1991/92**

ADMINISTRATIVE AND INSTRUCTIONAL STAFF

Central Office:

Superintendent	1
Assistant Superintendents	2
Administrative Assistant - Business Services	1
Personnel Officer	1
Directors	11
TOTAL:	16

High School:

Headmaster	1
Administrative Assistant	1
Housemasters	4
Dean of Students	1
Department Heads	8
Teachers	191
ROTC Instructors (GAMS)	3
T.V. Instructor	1
Alternative School - Principal	1
Alternative School - Teachers	10
TOTAL:	221

Guidance and Pupil Personnel:

Director (included under central office)	
Counselors - High School	15
Counselors - Junior High School	6
Adjustment Counselors	18
Home Visitor (attendance)	1
Speech Therapist	13
Physical Therapist	2
Educational Psychologists	6
Nurses	19
Audiometrist and Lip Reader	2
Occupational Therapist	2

Occupational Therapy Assistant	1
Out of District Program and Placement Teacher	1
Teacher for Coordination of Core Evaluations	1
Adaptive Physical Education	2

TOTAL:	89
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Teachers Aides:

Special Education Aides	170
Lunch Aides	42
Bilingual Program Aides	20
Mailroom/Bus Aides	2
Laundry Aide	1
Parent Contact Worker - Bilingual Program	2

TOTAL:	237
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Junior High School:

Principal	3
Assistant Principals	3
Teachers	160
Librarians	3

TOTAL:	169
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Elementary Schools:

Principals	22
Assistant Principals	4
Elementary Teachers	506

TOTAL:	532
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Adult Education:

Director (included under central office)	
Supervisor (part time)	2
Teachers (part time)	70
Counselors (part time)	4
Teachers - Adult Diploma Program (full time)	1
Curriculum Aide	1

TOTAL:	78
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Civil Service Corps:

Secretaries	3
Clerks	79
Nurses (included under guidance)	
Attendance Supervisor (included under guidance)	
Supervisor of Maintenance	1
School Building Maintenance Foreman	1
Carpenters	6
Painters	7
Electricians	3
Plumbers	2
Pipefitters	1
Mason	1
Welder	1
Mechanical Equipment Repairman	1
Oil Burner Repairman	1
Building Maintenance Craftsmen	5
Plant Engineer - High School	1
Jr. Plant Engineer - High School	2
Supervisor of Custodians	1
Senior Building Custodians	23
Junior Building Custodians	95
Jr. Building Custodian/Groundkeepers	3
Instructional Media Specialists	3
Printer	1
Apprentice Printer	1
School Bus Transportation Supervisor	1
School Bus Operators	21
Data Processor Technician	1
TOTAL:	265

Food Service Department:

Food Service Administrator	1
Laboror and Motor Equipment Operator	4
Storekeeper	1
Managers	11
Cooks	11
Assistant Cooks	31
Helpers	67
Cashiers	33
Truck Drivers	3
Food Service Substitute Caller	1
TOTAL:	163

Federal Projects - (Full Time Positions):

Chapter One Director	1
Chapter One Supervisors	3
Report Analyst	1
Chapter One Clerk Typists	5
Chapter One Materials Center Attendant	1
Chapter One Material Center Aide	1
Chapter One Fiscal Specialist	1
Chapter One Pre School Teachers	6
Chapter One Pre School ESL Teacher	1
Chapter One Pre School ESL Teacher Aide	1
Chapter One E.I.P. Elementary Teachers	48
Chapter One E.I.P. Planning Teachers	4
Chapter One Teachers - Secondary	12
Chapter One CCP Teacher - Secondary	2
Chapter One Home Visiting Teachers	3
Chapter One Pre School Aides	12
Chapter One E.I.P. Aides	46
Chapter One Kindergarten Aides	13
Chapter One Parent Contact Worker	2
Chapter One Dissemination Aide	1
Project Ready Supervisor	1
Project Ready Teachers	10
Project Ready Aides	4
Project Chart Supervisor	1
Project Chart Teachers	2
Project Outreach Supervisor	1
Project Outreach Teachers	3
Project Outreach Clerk Typist	1
Project Outreach Computer Program Aide	1
Chapter 636 Coordinator	1
Chapter 636 Teacher/Facilitators	3
Chapter 636 Teachers	4
Chapter 636 Aide	1
Chapter 636 Clerk Typist	1
Title VII Supervisor	1
Title VII Bilingual Teachers	2
Title VII Bilingual Teacher Aides	2
Chapter 188 Planner Facilitator/Supervisor	1
Chapter 188 Teachers	1
Chapter 188 Aides (and substitutes)	7
Project Support Teacher of Young Children with Special Needs	1

Project Support Teacher of Young Children with Language Disorders	1
Career Competencies Program - Remedial Teachers	3
Carl Perkins Occupational Funds	
Career Competencies Program - Counselor	1
Carl Perkins Occupational Funds	
Career Competencies Program - Part Time Teachers	2
Carl Perkins Occupational Funds	
Career Competencies Program - Part Time Teacher	1
Comprehensive Dropout Prevention Program	
Career Competencies Program - Part Time Teacher	1
JTEC IIA Making School Successful	
Health Facilitator, Governor's Alliance Fund	3
Pregnant and Parenting Teen Program - Coordinator	1
Pregnant and Parenting Teen Program - Part Time Teachers	3
Pregnant and Parenting Teen Program - Health Manager	1
Pregnant and Parenting Teen Program - Child Care Workers	4
 TOTAL:	235

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**ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
COMMISSIONER OF
PUBLIC WORKS
OF THE
CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
MASSACHUSETTS
TO THE
CITY COUNCIL
JULY 1, 1991 - JUNE 30, 1992**

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
COMMISSIONER'S REPORT

Honorable Mayor and City Council
New Bedford, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

In compliance with Chapter 3, Section 58 of the City Code, I herewith submit the annual report of the Department of Public Works, July 1, 1991 through June 30, 1992.

Appropriations and expenditures are shown in the various tables, together with a chart indicating the comparative Highway expenditures for the period from July 1, 1920 through June 30, 1992.

I wish to express my appreciation for the cooperation that I have received from the Mayor, the members of the City Council, the various department heads, and my own capable assistants in carrying on the work of the department.

Respectfully submitted,


Lawrence D. Dohrman
Commissioner

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
ENGINEERING DIVISION
JULY 1, 1991 - JUNE 30, 1992

AIRPORT COMMISSION - Plans were drawn and surveys made in connection with airport boundaries and leases.

ASSESSORS - Real estate transactions and transfers were filed at the Registry of Deeds. Such transfers were changed on city plots and indexed. Four (4) sets of 183 plots are kept up-to date and blueprints made of same.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT - Forty-nine (49) buildings were numbered and records kept. Seventy-two (72) sewer drainage permits were issued.

CITY SOLICITOR - Plans and blueprints were made and descriptions were written on requests of the City Solicitor for the sale of City owned land.

SIDEWALKS - Plans and estimates were made for nine (9) projects under the betterment act. Measurements, records, final plans, and assessments were made and reported. Plans and estimates were made for one hundred thirty-five (135) projects laid by bonded private contractors for property owners.

STREETS - Surveys were made and lines and grades given for all street construction. Surveys were made and points set for the installation of new street bounds.

MISCELLANEOUS - Lines and grades were given for fences, street lines, and sidewalks. Eighty-four (84) accident or damage sites were surveyed. Plans were drawn and photos taken to prepare for possible court action. Numerous plans were drawn and descriptions prepared for study by the City Council committees and the City Solicitor. Four (4) proposed zoning change plans were drawn.

Weather records were kept daily on rainfall, snowfall, wind velocity and temperatures. The weather information was reported to State and Federal Agencies and was made available to the public. Reports were kept up-to date, blueprinted, and indexed. Street and sidewalk repair cards were updated.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
GENERAL STATISTICS
JUNE 30, 1992

Set off from Dartmouth	1787
Incorporated as a City	1847
Length of a City	10.73 Miles
Breadth of a City (Maximum)	3.10 Miles
Highest Point	1250 Feet north of Rockdale Avenue and Hathaway Road Elevation 181.50 feet.
City Datum	Based on 0.85 feet above mean high water
State Datum	Based on mean sea level 2.55 feet below City Datum
Geometrical center of City	Nash Road and Mt. Pleasant St.
Area - Land	12,181.9 Acres
Ponds193. Acres
Lands-Ponds	12,474.9 Acres = 19.46 Square Miles
Tidal Water	8,429. Acres = 13.15 Square Miles
Length of frontage on Tidal Water	9.81 Miles
Depth of Main Channel	30 feet at low
Population - Registrar of Voter estimate	106,237
Assessed Valuation	3,074,917,603.
Assessed Valuation per capita	28,943.94
Accepted streets	261.60 Miles
Bridges (3)	0.796 Miles In New Bedford
Sewers	306.52 Miles
Length of Intercepting Sewer:	
Outfall	0.626 Miles
Intercepting	9.188 Miles
33 Public Playgrounds	71 Acres
11 Play Fields	86.4 Acres
Number of City Blocks	>1,370

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
STREET INVENTORY
JUNE 30, 1992

BRIDGES:

Coggeshall Street - 20 tons weight capacity
Slocum Street - Unknown
Tarkiln Hill Road - 20 tons weight capacity

PAVEMENT:

NOTE: In the following list the area is the total of that kind of pavement on all streets, but the length is the length of street where the material is the principal pavement.

	Est. Length <u>Miles</u>	Est. Area <u>Sq. Yds.</u>
Bituminous Concrete	44.63	753,962.19
Water Bound Macadam	.02	321.
Granite Block	.73	10,898.
Concrete	.11	1,697.
Oil Gravel	.11	116,054.

Bituminous Concrete Surface Over:

Block or Crushed Stone Base	143.74	2,197,408.
Bituminous Macadam Base	28.86	418,805.
Water Bound Macadam Base	2.29	54,008.
Granite Block Base	1.01	20,939.
Oil Gravel Base	40.10	1,196,872.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

	Est. Length <u>Miles</u>
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SIDEWALKS:

Cement	197.65
Bituminous Concrete	77.21
Brick	1.08
Flagstone	6.92

CURB:

	Length <u>Miles</u>	Lineal <u>Feet</u>
Granite	238.97	1,261,774.60
Concrete	32.82	173,264.60
Bituminous	12.70	67,056.00

SEWERS:

Combined	128.121
Sanitary	84.82
Storm	83.48
Interceptor and Outfall	9.814

2656 Catch Basins
1162 Inlets
50,616 Total Drain Permits

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
July 1, 1991 - June 30, 1992
ENGINEERING BREAKDOWN

Accident Reports	\$ 2,392.76
Assessors	9,711.23
Blueprinting	5,383.48
Chapter 90	4,315.83
Comp. Time	366.52
Computer	277.33
Drafting	20,563.60
Drains & Sewers	21,018.24
General Engineering	134,186.39
Funeral Leave	657.75
Highways (office)	24.92
Holiday	15,104.68
House Numbers	1,105.44
Hurricane Bob	4,125.14
Jury Duty	175.01
Line & Grade	24.32
Landfill	1,373.62
Longevity	1,575.00
Overtime	.01
Personal Leave	2,708.58
Retroactive Pay	3,083.86
Sick Leave	9,211.04
Sick Leave Incentive	787.50
Sidewalks:	
Betterments	1,944.19
Driveways	959.94
Repairs	11,553.13
Street Paving & Repair	1,455.27
Survey	25,256.00
Traffic Lights	53.65
Vacation	16,663.41
Wastewater Treatment Plant	12.46
Weather	1,310.00
Zoning	----- 818.04 \$298,198.34

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
July 1, 1991 - June 30, 1992
ENGINEERING ACCOUNT
EXPENDITURES

Engineering, Drafting & Surveying Supplies	\$2,434.78
Film Purchasing & Developing	28.80
Hospital & Medical	478.98
Office Supplies	1,365.22
Petty Cash	50.00
Printing & Binding	477.20
Repair & Maintenance Building	2,950.00
Repair & Maintenance Office Equipment	750.00
Salaries	<u>298,198.34</u>
	\$306,733.32

METEOROLOGICAL RECORD 1991 - 1992
 PREPARED BY THE ENGINEERING DIVISION

MONTH	BAROMETER MAXIMUM MINIMUM RANGE	THERMOMETER MAXIMUM MINIMUM RANGE	WIND				SKY CLEAR PARTLY CLOUDY CLOUDY	MONTH													
			N.W.	S.W.	E.	W.															
JULY	30.35	29.65	.70	75.14	102	56	18.74	2	4	0	0	2	5	2	1	15	9	7	2.01	JULY	
AUGUST	30.50	29.57	1.93	75.27	96	56	17.06	0	2	0	3	1	10	0	3	12	13	11	7	4.90	AUGUST
SEPTEMBER	30.50	29.60	.90	64.23	91	42	16.66	2	1	0	1	0	5	3	5	13	9	9	12	7.66	SEPTEMBER
OCTOBER	30.60	29.50	1.10	57.09	78	37	15.16	3	0	0	2	0	6	2	2	16	9	9	13	3.62	OCTOBER
NOVEMBER	30.60	29.60	1.00	45.15	68	28	13.10	2	4	1	1	0	6	1	3	12	10	8	12	4.81	NOVEMBER
DECEMBER	30.70	29.60	1.10	36.78	65	7	16.41	1	1	0	0	0	5	2	7	15	11	5	15	9.76	DECEMBER
JANUARY	30.65	29.00	1.65	29.82	55	4	16.48	0	5	0	1	0	2	1	9	13	11	8	12	6.00	JANUARY
^a FEBRUARY	30.70	29.49	1.21	31.01	51	2	16.44	0	7	1	1	0	1	0	5	14	8	5	16	5.36	FEBRUARY
MARCH	30.60	29.20	1.40	33.70	55	6	15.29	3	2	0	1	0	3	0	6	16	14	4	13	10.41	MARCH
APRIL	30.50	29.55	.95	44.06	75	30	15.60	1	4	0	2	0	5	0	3	15	8	9	13	4.64	APRIL
MAY	30.50	29.55	.95	55.06	95	34	20.12	1	9	0	1	2	3	0	1	14	17	3	11	1.51	MAY
JUNE	30.20	29.80	.40	66.76	65	51	17.80	0	0	0	1	0	13	0	3	13	19	4	7	4.58	JUNE
MEAN FOR YEAR	30.53	29.92	1.10	51.24			16.57														
TOTALS FOR YEAR	30.70	28.57						15	39	2	14	5	64	11	48	163	144	84	138	65.25	
EXTREMES								102	2												

THIS TABLE IS BASED ON CALENDAR DAYS FROM MIDNIGHT TO MIDNIGHT

RAINFALL IN NEW BEDFORD 19th TO 19th

F - FORT RODMAN-WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT - No Records

E - ENGINEERING DIV. AT CENTER OF CITY

Q - QUITTACAS POND PUMPING STATION

DAY	JULY			AUGUST			SEPTEMBER			OCTOBER			NOVEMBER			DECEMBER			JANUARY			FEBRUARY			MARCH			APRIL			MAY		
	DAY	F	E	Q	F	E	Q	F	E	Q	F	E	Q	F	E	Q	F	E	Q	F	E	Q	F	E	Q	F	E	Q	F	E	Q		
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SEWER & SURFACE DRAIN CONSTRUCTION

STREETS ACCEPTED 1991 - 1992

STREET	FROM	TO	LENGTH & WIDTH	DATE ACCEPTED
Angelica Avenue	Braley Road Back to Braley Road	Easterly Southerly Westerly	1030.15 ft.	09/25/91
Susan Street	50' Wide, Braley Road	Easterly Southerly Westerly	990.07 ft.	09/25/91
Thomas Street	40' Wide, Sycamore Street	Northerly	98.71 ft.	05/19/92

STREET ENTRIES 1991 - 1992

none

STREETS DISCONTINUED 1991 - 1992

Howard Avenue	River Road	Acushnet Avenue	368 ft.±	04/09/92
Water Street	Potomska Street	Southerly	86.57 ft.	04/09/92

ALTERATION OF LINES 1991 - 1992

none

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
FORESTRY DIVISION
JULY 1, 1991 - JUNE 30, 1992**

Hornet Nests Removed	25
Requests made at office	572
Trees Planted (private purchases)	29
Trees (approx.) now shading city streets	10,162
Trees struck by autos	15
Trees trimmed & treated in answer to requests	513

SPECIES REMOVED FROM CITY STREETS

Pear	2
Oak	1
Elm	0
Cherry	2
Linden	0
Locusts	0
Maple	220
Ash	0
Cedar	0
Removed	<u>225</u>

SPECIAL EVENTS

	Hours Spent
Christmas Decorations	120 hrs.
Assisting other departments w/crane & equip.	200 hrs.
Chipping of Christmas Trees	80 hrs.
Clearing Transfer Station Area	120 hrs.
Hurricane Cleanup	Months
Snow Removal-filling sand barrels, etc.	450 hrs.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
FORESTRY ACCOUNT
EXPENDITURES

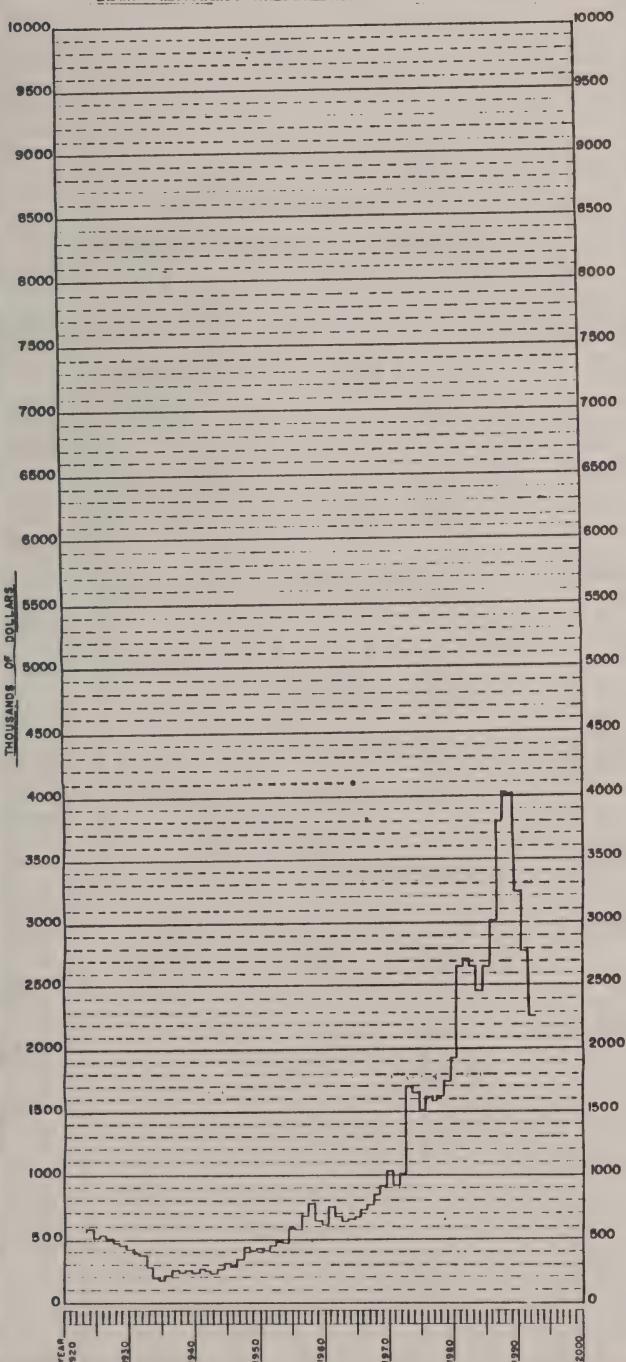
Accidents	\$ 1,209.74
Advertising	253.80
Equipment	419.16
Forestry - Shed	348.02
Holiday Pay	6,966.79
Hurricane Bob	7,134.26
Labor	90,909.00
Main Office - Salaries and Wages	35,423.90
Miscellaneous	4,496.15
Personal Leave	1,311.93
Sick Leave - Sick Leave Incentive	5,887.41
Vacation Leave	<u>8,761.93</u>
	\$163,122.09

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
HIGHWAYS ACCOUNT
EXPENDITURES**

Accidents - Compensation and Supplies	\$ 156,201.63
Advertisement	574.68
Clothing and Uniforms	9,112.18
Personal Leave	12,572.90
Funeral Leave	2,205.55
Garage - Municipal Maintenance, equipment, watching, etc.	598.947.52
Holidays	67,944.67
Huricane Bob	20,584.45
Settlement, Tour of Duty, Longevity, Physical Exam, Jury Duty	55,922.48
Miscellaneous - Sullivan's Ledge	120.00
Miscellaneous	9,554.52
Office - Main	
Supplies	5,094.02
Salaries	100,244.60
	105,338.62
Office Yard	
Salaries	99,539.72
Labor	482,099.90
Supplies	46,146.27
	627,785.79
Pensions	5,424.78
Sick Leave and Sick Leave Incentive	64,917.01
Streets - Repaired, patched, paved, miscellaneous	83,892.93
Vacations	104,578.16
Walks - Repaired and Curbing, Driveways Bituminous Concrete, Dirt and Granolithic Walks	38,984.02
Charges -	
Other Departments and Misc.	82,128.45
Motor Oil, Auto Parts, Labor	214,024.45
Catch Basins, Eye Holes, Manholes, Sewers -	
Clear, new, repaired	9,626.18
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	\$2,270,440.97

COMPARATIVE TABLE OF HIGHWAY EXPENDITURES

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
EXPENDITURES - 07/01/91 - 06/30/92

<u>ACCOUNT</u>		<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>GRAND TOTAL</u>
HIGHWAYS	Labor & Salaries	\$1,594,511.77	
	General Expense	670,504.42	
	Pension	5,424.78	
			\$2,270,440.97
SOLID WASTE	Salaries	139,141.33	
	Labor	1,167,895.50	
	General Expense	595,231.23	
			1,902,268.06
ENGINEERING	Salaries & Wages	298,198.34	
	General Expense	8,534.98	
			306,733.32
FORESTRY	Salaries & Wages &		
	Labor	158,783.27	
	General Expense	4,338.82	
			163,122.09
WASTEWATER DIVISION	Salaries & Wages	107,961.00	
	Labor	972,223.83	
	General Expense	3,364,856.04	
			4,445,040.87
LEASH LAW	Salaries & Wages	0	
	General Expense	9,762.00	
			9,762.00
SNOW REMOVAL	Salaries & Wages &		
	Labor	7,063.01	
	General Expense	42,020.89	
			49,083.90
CHAPTER 90		615,586.97	
			615,586.97

HIGHWAYS-COMPARATIVE TABLE OF CERTAIN EXPENDITURES

	07/01/86 06/30/87	07/01/87 06/30/88	07/01/88 06/30/89	07/01/89 06/30/90	07/01/90 06/30/91	07/01/91 06/30/92
Snow & Ice	26,699.06	8,535.56	6,152.03	2,120.59	898.00	0
Sweeping & Cleaning Street	4,696.90	6,109.43	8,003.41	5,339.84	357.64	0
Paved Streets Repaired	318,435.12	499,896.45	585,633.34	316,840.88	365,731.26	104,562.18
Walks Repaired - Bit. Conc. Dirt & Granolithic	633,632.39	488,287.23	241,057.45	250,930.54	47,035.43	38,984.02

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKSSOLID WASTE DIVISIONANNUAL REPORT JULY 1, 1991, THRU JUNE 30, 1992

Total Tons Refuse Received (Public)	59,172.07
Total Tons Refuse Received (Private)	44,838.37
Average Tons Received Daily (Public)	227.58
Average Tons Received Daily (Private)	172.46
Average Cost Per Ton (Public)	49.90
Average Cost Per Ton (Private)	17.62

EXPENDITURESACCIDENTS

Compensation	\$ 27,672.27
Settlements	<u>16,150.00</u>
	\$ 43,822.27

BUILDING MAINTENANCE

Supplies	\$ 63.31
Janitorial	542.90
Lighting	105.70
Repairs/Maintenance	<u>1,109.15</u>
	\$ 1,821.06

COLLECTION

Advertising	\$ 2,411.70
Clothing	1,664.62
Hospital & Medical	9,538.48
Labor	843,301.10
Miscellaneous	1,000.77
Motor Maintenance, Supplies/Repairs	<u>57,324.91</u>
	\$915,241.58

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKSSOLID WASTE DIVISION CONTINUEDDISPOSAL

Labor	\$ 89,440.78
Hospital & Medical	392.90
Machine Rental	168,004.58
Miscellaneous	3,551.84
Pest Control	300.00
Sanitary Landfill	270,009.50
Motor Maintenance, Supplies/Repairs	40,316.33
Clothing	1,756.62
Advertising	1,655.29
Licenses	40.00
	<u>\$575,467.84</u>

HEAT & POWER

\$ 12,514.00

OFFICE

Printing	\$ 1,038.75
Salaries & Wages	139,141.33
Supplies	1,595.84
Scale	3,923.46
Miscellaneous	220.58
	<u>\$145,919.96</u>

Personal Days	\$ 9,179.34
Holidays	7,832.24
Overtime	66,318.28
Sick Leave	28,876.81
Vacations	78,337.18
Sick Leave Incentive	5,962.50
	<u>\$196,506.35</u>

LONGEVITY PAYMENTS

Salaries & Wages	\$ 1,850.00
Labor	9,125.00
	<u>\$ 10,975.00</u>

TOTAL\$1,902,268.06

WASTEWATER DIVISION

This is the Nineteenth Annual Report of the Superintendent for the operations and maintenance of the Wastewater Division for the period beginning July 1, 1991 ending June 30, 1992.

DIVISIONAL OBJECTIVES

It is the responsibility of this division to administer the operations and maintenance service contract of the Water Pollution Control Facility in an effective and efficient manner. To insure that operations will meet all National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit requirements and insure compliance with Consent Decree initiatives. To continue implementation of our Industrial Pretreatment Program as a vehicle for source reduction of Toxic Compounds in our Collection System that will ultimately provide stability for our Treatment Processes. Operate and maintain with as high a degree of efficiency attainable, the Cities Twenty-Four (24) Lift Stations, over three hundred miles of Sewer Surface Drains and all system appurtenances. In co-operation with the Army Corps of Engineers operate and maintain all equipment and systems of the New Bedford portion of the Hurricane Protection Barrier. To be fully prepared in cases of emergency to utilize these facilities and equipment as intended for the protection of life and property.

WATER POLLUTION CONTROL FACILITY

The New Bedford Water Pollution Control Facility is a Primary Treatment Process, with a design flow capacity of Thirty (30) MGD. The wet train unit process consist of Grit Removal, Screening, Influent Pumping, Primary Sedimentation, Effluent Disinfection with treated discharge to Buzzards Bay. Solids handing processes are comprised of Scum Removal Collection, Dewatering by Floatation and Atomized Incineration. Sludge Collection, Thickening, Dewatering with Chemical Induction and Centrifugation, Incineration (Multiple Hearth Furnace) Ash Collection with disposal to landfill.

Consent Decree discharge limits have successfully and consistently been achieved. No discharge limits have been violated to date. New Consent Decree discharge Interium Limits have been negotiated with the Environmental Protection Agency and are currently being enforced. New limits are based on the efficiency of the process to obtain minimum removal percentages of Total Suspended Solids (T.S.S.) and Biochemical Oxygen Demand (BOD).

The Industrial Pretreatment Program is continuing to achieve significant reductions in Influent Toxicity. Bio Assay Analysis has verified marked improvement Toxicity Levels.

The program currently permits Eighty-Four (84) Industries. Five (5) Industries have current compliance schedules that will remediate a long history of source Toxicity.

The Division has just responded to an EPA Audit that was conducted as a complete review of our procedures and protocols. Permits have been modified as a result. Current City Code and Intermunicipal Agreement are under review.

A new contract fee was negotiated with Professional Services Group for the third calendar year for operation and maintenance services. A substantial savings was realized through the shared savings formula in the calendar year 1991 contract fee.

Significant improvements to the Primary Treatment Facility in Fiscal Year 1991 are the following:

- INSTALLATION OF POWER FACTOR CORRECTION CAPACITORS
- INSTALLATION OF NEW MAZZORATOR EQUIPMENT
- INSTALLATION OF PLANT WATER ULTRAFILTRATION UNIT

COLLECTION SYSTEM & LIFT STATION IMPROVEMENTS

The Wastewater Division has established a uniform preventive maintenance program that addresses all operational features of the Collection System. Best management practices for the collection and removal of grit is accomplished with our street sweeping and catch basin cleaning efforts. Sewer Rodding and Jet Rodding have minimized Collection System Surcharges and insure improved distribution of flow within the system. Regulator Chambers are regularly inspected and cleaned increasing system reliability. All Lift Station Wet Wells are dewatered isolated and cleaned of accumulated debris. This practice has degreased equipment wear and replacement costs. A systematic approach to a complete system overhaul is being accomplished. Renewed confidence in the Cove Road Pump Station has been established with the complete rebuilt of all four pumps doubling our capacity. The Front Street System, Howland Street and Belleville Avenue have all had complete pump rebuilds. A significant achievement given the original condition of these systems.

The Wastewater Division has also begun a preventive maintenance effort within the Collection System. An effort to target problem areas in the Sewer System and Jet Rod these lines to increase volumes and velocities in our pipes has been very successful. New guidelines have been established defining responsibilities for the Homeowner, the Contractor and City Personnel regarding private sewer drain problems.

Inflow and Infiltration reductions have been successful in several areas. Tidal influence from CSO discharge locations have been eliminated with the installation of newly fabricated Tide Gates and Duck Bill technologies. Removal of stormwater cross connections from the sewer system by removing catch basins from sewers and redirecting them into surface drain lines and the installation of cured in place pipe..

The following is a numerical assessment that reflects the maintenance efforts in the Wastewater Division for fiscal year 1992.

• SEWER MAINTENANCE INSPECTIONS	3,287
• SEWERS RODDED	39,039 FEET
• SEWERS JET RODDED	31,102 FEET
• SANITARY SEWER PIPE REPLACED	1,161 FEET
• SEWER M.H. REPAIRED	18
• SEWER M.H. REPLACED	13
• SURFACE DRAIN PIPE REPLACED	712 FEET
• CATCH BASINS REPLACED	25
• CATCH BASINS REPAIRED	90
• STREET SWEEPING	6,587 MILES
• CU YDS. REMOVED SWEEPING	2,411 CU. YDS.
• CATCH BASINS CLEANED	2,135
• CU. YDS. REMOVED CATCH BASINS	1,929
• SEWER SYSTEM REGULATOR INSPECTIONS	1,271

A Training Program for Wastewater Division Personnel was sponsored by the division and conducted by the New England Interstate Environmental Training Center. Eleven employees took part in the training program. The division currently has six (6) employees with Collection System Certification.

The Wastewater Division is comprised of a group of Wastewater Professionals who are committed to providing a dedicated effort in meeting the responsibilities of operating and maintaining the Collection System for the residence of the City of New Bedford in a safe, efficient and reliable manner.

WASTEWATER DIVISION - SEPTAGE SUMMARY

<u>1991</u>	<u>GALLONS</u>
JULY	166,500
AUGUST	106,300
SEPTEMBER	92,100
OCTOBER	129,100
NOVEMBER	94,500
DECEMBER	99,650
 <u>1992</u>	
JANUARY	58,900
FEBRUARY	31,300
MARCH	83,400
APRIL	118,050
MAY	133,450
JUNE	164,900
TOTAL GALLONS	<u>1,278,150</u>

TOTAL GALLONS RECEIVED FOR FY 1991 - 1992 = 1,278,150 GALLONS

APPROXIMATE AVERAGE MONTHLY VOLUME FOR FY 91 - 92 106,513 GALLONS

TOTAL AMOUNT OF REVENUE RECEIVED FOR FY 91 - 92

FOR SEPTAGE DUMPING = \$58,700.00

WASTEWATER DIVISION EXPENDITURESJULY 1, 1991 TO JUNE 30, 1992PAYROLL

<u>WASTEWATER DIVISION S&W</u>		\$ 107,961.00
SALARY & WAGES	\$105,646.80	
COMPENSATION	\$ 2,314.20	
<u>WASTEWATER DIVISION LABOR</u>		\$ 972,223.83
Labor	\$827,102.89	
Holidays	\$ 5,904.27	
Overtime	\$ 70,490.66	
Compensation	\$ 68,726.01	
		TOTAL PAYROLL
		\$1,080,184.83

GENERAL EXPENSES

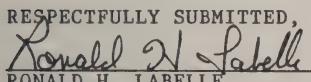
PROFESSIONAL SERVICES		\$2,429,253.34
REPAIRS & SERVICES		\$ 25,710.62
LIGHTS & POWER		\$ 172,122.61

STATIONS	GAS	DIESEL	L&P
APPONAGANSETT ST.		\$ 76.37	\$ 66.79
AVIATION WAY			\$ 3,913.47
AREA IV			\$ 5,939.11
BELLEVILLE AVE		\$2,037.58	\$24,418.23
CLARKS COVE	\$202.33		\$12,409.58
HURRICANE BARRIER			0
COVE ROAD			\$34,745.17
COFFIN AVENUE			\$ 6,743.61
COGESHALL ST.			\$ 3,843.95
FRONT ST.	\$ 169.09		\$ 8,224.59
HOWARD AVE	\$1,528.94		\$ 8,158.65
HOWLAND ST.	\$ 119.38		\$ 3,774.21
INDUSTRIAL PARK	\$ 224.24		\$30,125.83
JOYCE ST.			\$ 4,692.95
PECKHAM ST.			\$ 873.30
PEQUOT ST.			\$ 1,457.78
PHILLIPS ROAD			\$ 4,927.76
SASSAQUN AVE.			\$ 994.72
SHAMMUT AVE.	\$ 11.16		\$ 2,731.77
WAMSUTTA ST.			\$ 3,302.45
WELBY ROAD			\$ 1,367.63
HATHAWAY ROAD			\$ 1,364.19
PEARL ST.			\$ 327.50
GIFFORD ST.			\$ 870.95
MERRIMAC ST.			\$ 92.00
JONES ST.	\$ 64.21		\$ 0
FORT RODMAN SITE			\$ 141.42

TELEPHONE	\$ 380.47
RENTALS	\$ 71,213.77
PRINTING	\$ 2,702.95
PHOTOCOPY	\$ 516.38
DUES SUBSCRIPTIONS FEES	\$ 3,455.13
MEDICAL EXPENSES	\$ 34,111.37

WASTEWATER DIVISION EXPENSES CONTINUED:

Legal FEES & CLAIMS	\$ 30,308.31
EMPLOYEE TRAINING & LICENSING	\$ 1,515.00
ADVERTISING	\$ 205.06
POSTAGE & LOCK BOX FEES	\$ 14,700.36
INSURANCE	\$ 2,112.00
FREIGHT	\$ 961.62
TRAVEL EXPENSES	\$ 612.40
PUBLIC SAFETY	\$ 4,922.24
OFFICE SUPPLIES & REPAIRS	\$ 2,435.59
PLUMBING	\$ 2,295.82
PAINTING SUPPLIES	\$ 2,628.95
REPAIR & MAINT SUPPLIES	\$ 38,307.21
JANITORIAL	\$ 4,448.01
LIGHTING SUPPLIES	\$ 2,117.95
TOOLS	\$ 2,633.34
UNIFORMS & CLOTHING	\$ 6,659.15
VEHICLES SUPPLIES	\$ 37,127.82
FUEL FOR VEHICLES	\$ 20,896.60
NEW EQUIPMENT	\$ 111,215.14
ENCUMBRANCES	\$ 339,287.33
 TOTAL GENERAL EXPENSES	\$ 3,364,856.54
TOTAL SALARY & WAGES PAYROLL	\$ 107,961.00
TOTAL LABOR PAYROLL	\$ 972,223.83
TOTAL GENERAL EXPENSES	\$ 3,364,856.54
 TOTAL EXPENSES FOR FISCAL YEAR 1991-1992	\$ 4,445,040.87

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

 RONALD H. LABELLE
 SUPERINTENDENT
 WASTEWATER DIVISION

ANNUAL REPORT

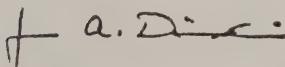
**Commissioner of Public Works, submitting annual
report for Fiscal Year 1992.**

IN CITY COUNCIL, November 24, 1992

Received and ordered printed in City Documents.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

a true copy, attest:



City Clerk

CITY ORDINANCES
AND AMENDMENTS
PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL
OF THE
CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
JANUARY 1, 1992 to DECEMBER 31, 1992



CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
MASSACHUSETTS

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety-two

AN ORDINANCE

AMENDING AND REVISING CHAPTER 19 OF THE CITY CODE RELATIVE
TO PERSONNEL.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:-

SECTION 1. Chapter 19, Article I, of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New Bedford is hereby amended by deleting the following titles in Section 19-7(c):

Assistant to Mayor

Administrative Assistant to the Mayor

Mayoral Aide

SECTION 2. Chapter 19, Article I, Section 19-7(c) of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New Bedford is hereby further amended by adding the following Titles in the pay Grade and Step listed below:

Administrative Officer Grade M-11, Step 3.
Executive Aide Grade M-11, Step 2.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws.

IN CITY COUNCIL, January 23, 1992

Passed to a second reading. Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, February 13, 1992

Passed to be ordained - Yeas 8, Nays 0.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval February 18, 1992.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

Approved February 19, 1992. Rosemary S. Tierney, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

JANICE A. DAVIDIAN, CITY CLERK

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety-Two

AN ORDINANCE

COMMITTEE ON APPOINTMENTS AND BRIEFINGS

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:-

SECTION 1. Chapter 2, Article III, Division 2, Sec. 2-71., The Code of Ordinances, City of New Bedford, is hereby amended by adding the following sentence thereto:

It shall hold briefings on subject matters not specifically referred to it by the city council, as determined by the chairman, in order to facilitate the dissemination of information to the city council.

Said section as amended to read as follows:

SECTION 2-71. Duties of the committee on appointments and briefings.

The president of the city council shall serve as chairman. It shall review all appointments and reappointments to all city boards, commissions, councils, departments and constables. It shall hold briefings in an information session on matters to assist the council in gathering information and data. It shall hold briefings on subject matters not specifically referred to it by the city council, as determined by the chairman, in order to facilitate the dissemination of information to the city council.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws.

IN CITY COUNCIL, February 13, 1992
Passed to a second reading. Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, March 12, 1992
Passed to be ordained - Yeas 11, Nays 0.
Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk
Presented to the Mayor for approval March 16, 1992.
Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk
Approved March 16, 1992. Rosemary S. Tierney, Mayor

a true copy, attest: JANICE A. DAVIDIAN, CITY CLERK

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CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety-two

AN ORDINANCE

DISAPPROVING THE CONCEPT OF THE MERGER OF THE
PARK AND CEMETERY COMMISSIONS

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:-

SECTION 1. That the ordinance of September 12, 1991, pertaining to Parks, Cemeteries and Forestry be and it hereby is rescinded in its entirety.

SECTION 2. That Chapter 7 and Chapter 18 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New Bedford as in existence on June 30, 1991, are hereby adopted.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws.

IN CITY COUNCIL, March 12, 1992

Passed to be ordained - Yeas 11, Nays 0.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval March 16, 1992.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

Approved March 17, 1992.

Rosemary S. Tierney, Mayor

a true copy, attest:

JANICE A. DAVIDIAN, CITY CLERK

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety-two

AN ORDINANCE

AMENDING CHAPTER 24 OF THE CITY CODE
PERTAINING TO TAXICABS

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:-

SECTION 1. Chapter 24, Section 24-24 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New Bedford is hereby amended by adding the following paragraph:

Sec. 24-24. Regulation of drivers.

(g) It shall be unlawful for any driver of a Class A vehicle to intercept and respond to a radio dispatch to pick up a passenger not intended for such driver, thus depriving the dispatched driver of his rightful fare. Violation of the paragraph shall be punished by a fine of not more than three hundred (\$300) dollars.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws.

IN CITY COUNCIL, April 9, 1992

Passed to a second reading. Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, May 14, 1992

Passed to be ordained - Yeas 10, Nays 0.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval May 18, 1992.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

Approved May 19, 1992.

Rosemary S. Tierney, Mayor

a true copy, attest:

JANICE A. DAVIDIAN, CITY CLERK

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety-two

AN ORDINANCE
Zoning Change No. 207

Changing the zoning classification of Land on the West Side of MT. PLEASANT STREET, between JONES STREET, north side, and GARCIA STREET, south side, from Residence B to RESIDENCE A.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:-

SECTION 1. That all of the property bounded and described as follows:-

Parcel I. Beginning at the point of intersection of the westerly line of MT. PLEASANT STREET and the northerly line of JONES STREET;

Thence southwesterly in the northerly line of said JONES STREET, a distance of six hundred three (603) feet, more or less, to a point of intersection with the easterly line of an existing Industrial "B" Zone;

Thence northerly in said easterly line of existing Industrial "B" Zone, a distance of seventy-three (73) feet, more or less, to a point in the northerly line of said Zone;

Thence westerly in said northerly line of said Zone, a distance of twenty-one (21) feet, more or less, to a point still in the easterly line of said Industrial "B" Zone;

Thence northwesterly in said easterly line of said Industrial "B" Zone, a distance of ninety-five (95) feet, more or less, to its point of intersection with the southerly line of WHITELOCK STREET;

Thence northeasterly in said southerly line of said WHITELOCK STREET, a distance of five hundred eight (580) feet, more or less, to a point of intersection with the westerly line of MT. PLEASANT STREET;

Thence southeasterly in said westerly line of said MT. PLEASANT STREET, a distance of one hundred sixty (160) feet, more or less, to the point of beginning.

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Parcel II. Beginning at the point of intersection of the westerly line of MT. PLEASANT STREET and the northerly line of WHITELOCK STREET;

Thence southwesterly in the northerly line of said WHITELOCK STREET, a distance of six hundred twenty (620) feet, more or less, to a point of intersection with the easterly line of an existing Industrial "B" Zone;

Thence northwesterly in said easterly line of said existing Industrial "B" Zone, a distance of one hundred (160) feet, more or less, to its point of intersection with the southerly line of Proposed GARCIA STREET;

Thence northeasterly in said southerly line of said Proposed GARCIA STREET, a distance of six hundred twenty (620) feet, more or less, to its point of intersection with the westerly line of MT. PLEASANT STREET;

Thence southeasterly in said westerly line of said MT. PLEASANT STREET, a distance of one hundred sixty (160) feet, more or less, to the point of beginning;

All of which is now zoned Residence B, be reclassified and zoned RESIDENCE A;

All as shown on the plan of Proposed Zoning Change Amendment which is made a part hereof, on file in the Office of the City Clerk; and the Building Zone Map adopted as part of Section 9-201 of the code of Ordinances of the City of New Bedford, is hereby amended to conform with said reclassification.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws.

IN CITY COUNCIL, April 9, 1992

Passed to a second reading. Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, May 14, 1992

Passed to be ordained - Yeas 10, Nays 0.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval May 18, 1992.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

Approved May 19, 1992.

Rosemary S. Tierney, Mayor

a true copy, attest:

JANICE A. DAVIDIAN, CITY CLERK

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety-two
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AN ORDINANCE

LOITERING

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:-

SECTION 1. Chapter 17, Section 17-16, the Code of Ordinances, City of New Bedford, is hereby repealed and the following inserted in place thereof:

Section 17-16. LOITERING

(1) Assemblies obstruction streets and sidewalks.

All persons are hereby prohibited from gathering and standing in groups upon the streets, avenues and sidewalks of the City in such a manner as to obstruct the free passage of persons or vehicles upon the sidewalks or streets of the City.

(b) Manifesting the purpose of illegally using, possessing or selling controlled substances.

It is unlawful for any person to loiter in a public place in a manner and under circumstances manifesting the purpose of illegally using, possessing, transferring or selling any controlled substance as that term is defined in M.G.L. Chapter 94C, Section 1.

Among the circumstances which may be considered in determining whether such a purpose is manifested are the following:

(1) The person is a known illegal user, possessor or seller of controlled substances or the person is at a location frequented by persons who illegally use, possess, transfer or sell controlled substances; and

(2) The person repeatedly beckons to, stops, attempts to stop or engage in conversation with passers-by, whether such passers-by are on foot or in a motor vehicle, for the purpose of inducing, enticing, soliciting or procuring another to illegally possess, transfer or buy any controlled substances; or

(3) The person repeatedly passes to or receives from passers-by, whether such passers-by are on foot or in a motor vehicle,

money, objects or written material for the purpose of inducing, enticing, soliciting or procuring another to illegally possess, transfer or buy any controlled substance.

In order for there to be a violation of subsection (b), the person's affirmative language or conduct must be such as to demonstrate by its express or implied content or appearance a specific intent to induce, entice, solicit or procure another to illegally possess, transfer or buy a controlled substance.

No arrest shall be made for a violation of subsection (b) unless the arresting officer first affords the person an opportunity to explain his conduct, and no one shall be convicted of violating subsection (b) if it appears at trial that the explanation given was true and disclosed a lawful purpose.

For the purpose of this section, a "known illegal user, possessor or seller of controlled substances" is a person who, within one (1) year prior to the date of arrest for violation of this section, has within the knowledge of the arresting officer been convicted of illegally manufacturing, using, possessing, selling, purchasing or delivering any controlled substance.

(c) PENALTY.

Whoever violates the provisions of this section shall be subject to a penalty of \$300.00.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws.

TABLED. IN CITY COUNCIL, April 23, 1992
Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, May 14, 1992
Removed from Table.
Passed to a second reading. Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, June 11, 1992
Passed to be Ordained - Yeas 8, Nays 2.
Rule 40 Waived - Yeas 8, Nays 2.
Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk
Presented to the Mayor for approval June 12, 1992.
Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk
Returned by the Mayor after the expiration of ten days, neither approved nor disapproved.

a true copy, attest:

JANICE A. DAVIDIAN, CITY CLERK

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety-two

AN ORDINANCE
Zoning Change #208

Changing the zoning classification of Land on the East Side of EMERSON STREET, between Kempton Street and Mill Street from Residence A to BUSINESS, to a depth of 110 feet easterly.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:-

SECTION 1. That all of the property bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the northerly line of KEMPTON STREET and the easterly line of EMERSON STREET;

Thence northerly in said easterly line of EMERSON STREET, a distance of one hundred sixty-two (162) feet, more or less, to its point of intersection with the southerly line of MILL STREET;

Thence easterly in said southerly line of MILL STREET, a distance of one hundred ten (110) feet, more or less, to a point;

Thence southerly in a straight line, parallel to the easterly line of EMERSON STREET, a distance of one hundred sixty-three (163) feet, more or less, to a point of intersection with the northerly line of KEMPTON STREET;

Thence westerly in said northerly line of KEMPTON STREET, a distance of one hundred ten (110) feet, more or less, to the point of beginning;

All of which is now zoned Residence A, be reclassified and zoned BUSINESS;

All as shown on the plan of Proposed Zoning Change Amendment which is made a part hereof, on file in the Office of the City Clerk; and, the Building Zone Map adopted as part of Section 9-201 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New Bedford, is hereby amended to conform with said reclassification.

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SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 40A of the General Laws.

IN CITY COUNCIL, June 25, 1992

Passed to a second reading - All Ayes.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, July 16, 1992

Passed to be ordained - Yeas 10, Nays 0.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval July 20, 1992.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

Approved July 24, 1992. Rosemary S. Tierney, Mayor

a true copy, attest:

JANICE A. DAVIDIAN, CITY CLERK

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

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In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety-two
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AN ORDINANCE

Pertaining to RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS FOR CERTAIN CITY-SUPPORTED CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:-

SECTION 1. Chapter 10, Article II of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New Bedford is hereby amended by adding the following section:

SECTION 10-76.1. Residency requirements for certain city-supported construction projects.

In order to assist the unemployment rate, to assist the problem of businesses leaving the region, to decrease the number of businesses filing bankruptcy, to combat the recession in the region, to assist the problem caused by the reduction of local aid from the Commonwealth and to assist in preventing the depletion of the tax base, all general and subcontractors construction of rehabilitating public works projects which have a projected cost of more than one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000.00) and are funded in full or in part with federal, state, or city funds, shall have the worker hours on a craft by craft basis performed by residents of the City of New Bedford, who shall comprise at least fifty (50) percent of the total employee man-hours in each trade, excluding the employer's foreman or supervisor and two other key employees.

SECTION 10-76.2. Same - Definition.

"Residents" are defined as persons being domiciled in the City of New Bedford; that is, that place where that person has had his or her true, fixed, and permanent home and principal establishment for a minimum of six months prior to the contract bid opening date.

SECTION 10.76.2. Same - Administration and Enforcement.

The City of New Bedford Office of Equal Opportunity and Contract Compliance shall administer and enforce the provisions of

this section. A copy of this section shall be included by each City Department and/or Agency, in all public works construction or rehabilitation contracts of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,00.00) or more and shall be a part of such contract.

Upon the request of the City Council, the Office of Equal Opportunity and Contract Compliance shall provide the City Council with certified copies of current lists of names and addresses of unemployed New Bedford residents along with trades and skills in which they are qualified.

The Office of Equal Opportunity and Contract Compliance shall be responsible for providing this same information to any contractor or subcontractor who requests it. Such information shall be delivered within thirty (30) days of receipt of request by the Office of Equal Opportunity and Contract Compliance. Such requests shall be made by certified mail. Should the Office of Equal Opportunity and Contract Compliance fail to deliver such information within thirty days of the request, contractor's or subcontractor's requirements under the provisions of this section shall be deemed waived.

SECTION 10-76.4. Same - Contractor's Duties.

The contractor shall designate, and require each subcontractor to designate, an individual to serve as compliance officer for the purpose of administering the provisions of this section. Prior to the start of construction, the contractor and each subcontractor, then selected, shall meet with the appropriate officials of the Office of Equal Opportunity and Contract Compliance for the purpose of reviewing standards and employment requirements for construction activity. At said conference, the contractors and subcontractors shall provide complete projections of the work force needs over the course of construction of the project.

The contractor shall obtain from each worker employed in construction of the project, a sworn statement containing the worker's name, place of residence, and length of residence at the particular place.

One week following the commencement of construction of the project, and each week thereafter until such work is completed, the contractor and subcontractor shall complete and submit to the Office of Equal Opportunity and Contract Compliance, for the week just ended, a report which reflects for each employee, the employee's name, place of residence, race, gender, trade, and total number of hours he or she worked; and the total worker hours of its total work force.

SECTION 10-76.5. Same - Penalties.

Any person who provides false information regarding his or her residence shall be penalized three hundred dollars (\$300.00). Any contractor or subcontractor who violates the provisions of this section shall be penalized three hundred dollars (\$300.00) per day for each and every day the ordinance is in violation. Said penalty shall be levied and withheld from payments due the contractor or subcontractor.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws.

IN CITY COUNCIL, June 25, 1992

Passed to a second reading - All Ayes.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, July 16, 1992

Passed to be ordained - Yeas 7, Nays 1.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval July 20, 1992.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

Approved July 24, 1992. Rosemary S. Tierney, Mayor

a true copy, attest:

JANICE A. DAVIDIAN, CITY CLERK

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

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In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety-two
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AN ORDINANCE

pertaining to SPECIAL PERMITS FOR ADULT BOOKSTORES AND MOTION PICTURE THEATRES.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:-

SECTION 1. The Code of Ordinances of the City of New Bedford, Chapter 9, Article II, Division 1, is hereby amended by adding the following section:

SECTION 9-207L.1. Special permits for adult bookstores or adult motion picture theatres - Definitions.

As used in this section, the following words shall have the following meanings:

"Adult bookstore," an establishment having as a substantial or significant portion of its stock in trade, books, magazines, and other matter which are distinguished or characterized by their emphasis depicting, describing, or relating to sexual conduct or sexual excitement as defined in Section 31 of Chapter 272 of the Massachusetts General Laws.

"Adult motion picture theatre," an enclosed building used for presenting material distinguished by an emphasis on matter depicting, describing, or relating to sexual conduct or sexual excitement as defined in Section 31 of Chapter 272 of the Massachusetts General Laws.

SECTION 9-207L.2. Same - Special Permit Required.

No building or buildings shall be used for an adult bookstore or adult motion picture theatre within a Business Mixed Use; Business Planned; Industrial "A"; Industrial "B"; Industrial "C"; Waterfront Industrial; or Working Waterfront Overlay District, unless a special permit for such use is granted by the City Council in accordance with the following provisions.

SECTION 9-2071.3. Same - Regulations.

(a) No special permit for use as an adult bookstore or adult motion picture theatre shall be granted for a building or buildings located within any residential district.

(b) No special permit for use as an adult bookstore or adult motion picture theatre shall be granted for a building or buildings located within a radius of five hundred (500) feet of a residential district, a school, a church, another bookstore or adult picture theatre and an establishment licensed to sell alcoholic beverages under the provisions of Chapter 138, Section 12 of the Massachusetts General Laws.

SECTION 9-207L.4. Same - Special Permit - Procedural Requirements.

Special permits shall only be issued following a public hearing held within sixty-five (65) days after filing of an application with the City Council, a copy of which shall forthwith be given to the City Clerk by the applicant. The City Council shall adopt and from time to time amend rules relative to the issuance of such permits, and shall file a copy of said rules in the Office of the City Clerk. Such rules shall prescribe a size, form, contents, style and number of copies of plans and specifications and the procedure for a submission and approval of such permits.

The City Council shall act within ninety (90) days following a public hearing for which notice has been given by publication or posting as provided in Mass. General Laws, Chapter 40A, Section II, and by mailing to all parties in interest. Failure by the City Council to take final action upon an application for a special permit within said ninety days following the date of the public hearing shall be deemed to be a grant of the permit applied for. Special permits issued by the City Council shall require a two-thirds (2/3) vote. A special permit granted under this section shall lapse within one (1) year, and include such time required to pursue or await the determination of an appeal referred to in Mass. General Laws, Chapter 40A, Section 17, from the grant thereof, if a substantial use thereof has not sooner commenced except for good cause or, in the case of permit for construction, if construction has not begun by such date except for good cause.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 40A of the General Laws.

IN CITY COUNCIL, June 25, 1992

Passed to a second reading - All Ayes.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, July 16, 1992

Passed to be ordained - Yeas 8, Nays 1.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval July 20, 1992.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

Approved July 24, 1992. Rosemary S. Tierney, Mayor

a true copy, attest:

JANICE A. DAVIDIAN, CITY CLERK

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CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

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In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety-two
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AN ORDINANCE

Pertaining to PERSONNEL - UNIT C CLASSIFICATION AND SALARY PLAN

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford
as follows:-

SECTION 1. Chapter 19, Article I of the Code of Ordinances of the
City of New Bedford is hereby amended by adding the following
positions to Section 19-7(c):

TITLE	GRADE	STEP
Assistant Auditor	M-7	1
Assistant Director of Recreation	M-8	6
Director of Recreation/Parks	M-12	6
Purchasing Agent	M-7	4
Risk Manager	M-9	1

SECTION 2. Chapter 19, Article I of the Code of Ordinances of the
City of New Bedford is hereby amended by deleting the following
positions:

TITLE	GRADE	STEP
Assistant Auditor/Purchasing Agent	M-9	7
Assistant Recreation Director	M-8	2

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the
provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws.

IN CITY COUNCIL, August 20, 1992

Passed to a second reading AS AMENDED by changing salary of
Assistant Director of Recreation to Step 6 and adding positions of
ASSISTANT AUDITOR, Grade M-7, Step 1, and RISK MANAGER, Grade M-9,
Step 1 - Yeas 10, Nays 0.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

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IN CITY COUNCIL, September 10, 1992

Passed to be Ordained - Yeas 9, Nays 0.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval September 14, 1992.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

Approved September 22, 1992. Rosemary S. Tierney, Mayor

a true copy, attest:

JANICE A. DAVIDIAN, CITY CLERK

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

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In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety-two
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AN ORDINANCE

Pertaining to REFUSE CONTAINERS (roll-offs) - Permit required.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford
as follows:-

SECTION 1. Chapter 16, Article IV, of the Code of Ordinances of
the City of New Bedford, entitled, Solid Waste Collection and
Disposal, is hereby amended as follows:

1. That the word "Roll-off" (in singular or plural form,
as the sense of the sentence may require) be substituted for the
word "dumpster" wherever the latter appears in Sections 16-79
through 16-82 inclusive.

2. That the word "emergencies" be stricken from the
title of Section 16-79, and a period be inserted following the word
"required" so that the title of said section, as amended, shall
read as follows:

Sec. 16-79. Refuse containers (roll-offs) - Permit required.

3. That the word "first" be stricken from the second
line, a period be inserted after the word "provided" in the third
line, and the remaining wording therein be stricken in Sec. 16-79,
so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

No person shall place refuse containers of over five (5) cubic
yard capacity on any public way or way to which public has a right
of access without obtaining a permit as hereinafter provided.

4. That Sec. 16-80. Same - Application; terms, be
amended by striking therefrom paragraph (c) in its entirety.

5. That Sec. 16-81. Same - Terms of permit, be amended
by striking therefrom paragraph (b) in its entirety, and inserting
the following in place thereof:

(b) No permit for a refuse container (roll-off) shall be
granted for a period in excess of five (5) days during the period
from April 1 through November 30 inclusive, or a period of two (2)

days during the period from December 1 through March 31 inclusive. Provided, however, that the Commissioner of Public Works, or his agent, may, upon request of the person holding said permit, extend the time of said permit and adjust the fee therefor if required.

6. That Sec. 16-81, be further amended by adding thereto the following new paragraphs:

(c) Refuse containers (roll-offs) shall be placed according to the following priorities:

(1) Persons requesting "roll-off" type refuse containers shall cause same to be placed entirely on their own property whenever possible.

(2) Where (1) above cannot be achieved without undue hardship, the container shall be placed in the vehicular roadway, not more than six (6) inches from the curbing or edge of pavement. A street obstruction permit for this placement must be obtained as provided for above by the owner of the refuse container.

(3) Where (2) above cannot be achieved without creating a hazard or restriction to vehicular traffic flow, the container may be placed partially on the sidewalk. In such cases, the owner of the roll-off refuse container shall cause to be placed beneath the container supports, a wooden plank or steel plate having an area of at least four (4) square feet, and of sufficient thickness to prevent damage to the sidewalk. The owner of the container must obtain a street obstruction permit for this placement pursuant to Section 16-79 above.

(d) The owners of the refuse containers (roll-off) shall contact the Department of Public Works Engineering Division, either in person or by telephone, by ten (10:00) A.M. each day, giving a list of all the refuse containers (roll-offs) placed by their firm during the previous day. In the event the refuse containers are placed on the day before a weekend or a holiday, said notification shall be made on the first business day immediately following the day of placement. Said notification shall include:

- (1) Date of placement.
- (2) Location of placement.
- (3) Roll-off container number.
- (4) Dates of time period involved.
- (5) Whether in roadway or partially on sidewalk.

7. That Sec. 16-82, Same - Conditions of granting permits; fees, be amended by striking therefrom paragraph (b) in its entirety, and inserting the following in place thereof:

(b) The fee for such permits shall be at the rate of twenty (\$20) dollars per roll-off refuse container, for a time period as specified in Section 16-81 (b). The owner of any roll-off refuse container left on any public way, or way to which the public has a right of access, in excess of such time period, shall be assessed ten (\$10) dollars per day for each day the container remains in the way. A complaint will be issued after thirty (30) days.

8. That Sec. 16-82 be further amended by adding thereto the following new paragraphs:

(c) The refuse container owner shall, on the first business day of each week, pay to the City Clerk the fees for all refuse containers (roll-offs) placed during the previous week. Said fees shall be turned over to the City Treasurer. Failure to make the required payments shall automatically result in the revocation of the permit(s) granted to the owner.

(d) Whoever violates any provision of Sec. 16-79 through 16-82 inclusive, shall be liable to a penalty of three hundred dollars (\$300.00) for each offence Each date that such violation exists shall constitute a separate offense.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws.

IN CITY COUNCIL, August 20, 1992
Passed to a second reading.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, September 10, 1992
Passed to be Ordained - Yeas 8, Nays 0.
Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk
Presented to the Mayor for approval September 14, 1992.
Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk
Approved September 22, 1992. Rosemary S. Tierney, Mayor

a true copy, attest:

JANICE A. DAVIDIAN, CITY CLERK

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety-two

AN ORDINANCE

Pertaining to APPEALS TO SEWER CHARGES

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford
as follows:-

SECTION 1. Chapter 16, Article V, Sewer Charges, Section 16-92, Appeals, of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New Bedford, is hereby amended by striking out the second paragraph of Subsection (a) (2) thereof, and inserting in place thereof, the following:

Sec. 16-92 (a) (2)

No appeals shall be permitted based upon hardship in an applicant's inability to make payment for said sewer charge; provided that an appeal to modify the sewer charge levied on the user in whole or in part may be filed with the Commissioner of Public Works and may be granted by the City Council by a two-thirds vote of its membership, under such terms and conditions as the City Council shall determine to be in the best interest of the City, and the basis for such request is due solely to causes beyond the control of the user who has exercised due diligence in the construction of a satisfactory pretreatment facility. The user shall make the request for review in writing, stating fully the reasons therefor, and the Commissioner of Public Works shall make a written recommendation to the City Council no later than forty-five (45) days from receipt of the request.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws.

IN CITY COUNCIL, September 10, 1992
Passed to a second reading. Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, October 8, 1992
Passed to be ordained - Yeas 9, Nays 2.
Rule 40 Waived - Yeas 10, Nays 1.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk
Presented to the Mayor for approval October 9, 1992.
Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk
Approved October 13, 1992. Rosemary S. Tierney, Mayor

a true copy, attest:

JANICE A. DAVIDIAN, CITY CLERK

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

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AN ORDINANCE

Pertaining to the Establishment of
A Public Facilities Management Department

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford
as follows:-

SECTION 1. Chapter 6, Article II, of the Code of Ordinances of the
City of New Bedford is hereby amended by striking out Sections 6-21
and 6-30 through and including 6-32 in the entirety and renumbering
the remaining paragraphs consecutively.

SECTION 2. Chapter 6, Article III, of the Code of Ordinances of
the City of New Bedford is hereby amended by inserting the
following:

ARTICLE III. PUBLIC FACILITIES MANAGEMENT.

Sec. 6-40. Public Facilities Management Department.

There is hereby established within the municipal
government a public facilities management department consisting of
a public facilities manager and such other employees as the Mayor
may from time to time determine.

Sec. 6-41. Public Facilities Manager; Appointment.

The public facilities manager shall be appointed by the
Mayor and shall qualify by oath before entrance upon the duties of
his office. The public facilities manager shall hold the position
subject to the provisions of Civil Service and shall perform such
duties and receive such compensation as may be determined by the
Mayor and the City Council.

**Sec. 6-42. Duties in general of the public facilities
manager; public buildings.**

(a) The public facilities manager shall, with the
exception of the City Council Chamber and Antechamber which shall
be under the care and custody of the City Council but maintained by
the public facilities manager, have the care, custody, management

and maintenance of the municipal building and of all other city-owned buildings not specifically given into the custody of any other municipal department, board or commission. The supervisor of custodians shall be under the public facilities manager's direct supervision and control.

(b) The public facilities manager shall appoint, subject to Civil Service rules and regulations and have control of all persons employed in the maintenance and upkeep of the municipal building and comfort stations, including janitors, firemen, engineers and elevator operators, in addition to all other employees of the department.

(c) The public facilities manager shall purchase all supplies required by the department, including so-called janitor supplies.

(d) The public facilities manager shall also have charge of the construction, alteration and repairs of all public buildings, subject, however, to the direction of the City Council.

Cross reference - Duties in respect to city fuel purchases, section 10-32.

Section 6-43. Examination, etc., of public building plans.

The public facilities manager shall, at the written request of any officer, board or committee, examine plans for any proposed alteration or repairs of any public buildings and shall report in writing such manager's recommendations and an estimate of the cost of the work to said officer, board or committee.

Sec. 6-44. Certification of specifications, bills, etc., as to public buildings.

Before any bids are obtained for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building, the public facilities manager shall carefully examine the plans and the specifications for the same, and shall certify in writing to the City Council, officer, board or committee having the matter in charge, whether said plans and specifications are sufficient and complete for the purpose intended. The public facilities manager shall examine all bills rendered for work performed and materials furnished in the construction, alteration and repair of public buildings, where such work is done under such officer's charge, and shall certify to the correctness of the same, and no bill for such work or materials shall be paid without such certificate.

Sec. 6-45. Report of improper performance of public building contracts..

The public facilities manager shall report failure by any contractor to properly perform any contract for construction, alteration or repair of any public building according to plans and specifications. The public facilities manager shall report the same at once, in writing, to the officer, board or committee having the same in charge, and to the City Solicitor.

SECTION 3. Chapter 10, Article I, Section 10-32 (b) of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New Bedford is hereby amended by striking out the words "building commissioner" and inserting in place thereof the words "public facilities manager."

SECTION 4. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws.

IN CITY COUNCIL, September 10, 1992

Passed to a second reading. Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, October 8, 1992

Passed to be Ordained - Yeas 9, Nays 2.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval October 13, 1992.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

Approved October 20, 1992. Rosemary S. Tierney, Mayor

a true copy, attest:

JANICE A. DAVIDIAN, CITY CLERK

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

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AN ORDINANCE

AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES PERTAINING TO
CONDITIONS OF GRANTING PERMITS TO DISTURB THE
SURFACE OF PUBLIC RIGHTS OF WAY

SECTION 1. Chapter 22, Article II of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New Bedford entitled Construction and Maintenance is hereby amended by deleting the following from section 22-39 (5) (a)

"The security deposit, less any amounts deducted for costs and expenses incurred by the city, shall be returned to the applicant as soon as the commissioner has been notified that the public right-of-way has been satisfactorily restored."

and inserting in place thereof, the following:

"The security deposit, less any amounts deducted for costs and expense incurred by the City, shall be returned to the applicant not less than six (6) months following the date of installation of the permanent pavement repair. Said deposit shall not be held for more than three (3) years from such date."

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws.

IN CITY COUNCIL, September 24, 1992

Passed to a second reading. Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, October 22, 1992

Passed to be Ordained - Yeas 10, Nays 0.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval October 26, 1992.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

Approved October 28, 1992. Rosemary S. Tierney, Mayor

a true copy, attest:

JANICE A. DAVIDIAN, CITY CLERK

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

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WATER BOARD, composition, appointment and term

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:-

SECTION 1. Chapter 16, Article III, Sec. 16-40. and 16-41., Code of Ordinances, City of New Bedford, entitled Water Board - Composition and Appointment and Term, is hereby amended by striking out Sec. 16-40. and Sec. 16-41. in their entirety and inserting in place thereof the following:

Sec. 16-40. Water board - Composition.

The city water board shall consist of five (5) members. The mayor shall be ex officio member of said board for the term for which such mayor shall have been chosen. One member shall be a city councillor to be designated yearly by the president of the city council and the other three (3) members shall be appointed by the mayor, subject to confirmation by the city council, as hereinafter provided.

Sec. 16-41. Same - Appointment and term.

Annually in the month of April, the mayor shall appoint, subject to confirmation by the city council, one member of the water board to serve for a term of three (3) years from the first day of June in the year of appointment and until a successor is legally qualified.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws.

IN CITY COUNCIL, August 20, 1992

Passed to a second reading - All Ayes.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

Tabled. IN CITY COUNCIL, September 10, 1992
Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

Removed from the Table.
IN CITY COUNCIL, November 12, 1992

Passed to be Ordained - Yeas 8, Nays 2.
Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval November 16, 1992.
Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

Approved November 23, 1992.
Rosemary S. Tierney, Mayor

a true copy, attest: JANICE A. DAVIDIAN, CITY CLERK

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety-two

AN ORDINANCE

PERTAINING TO THE WASTEWATER ENTERPRISE FUND

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:-

SECTION 1. Chapter 16, Article V. of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New Bedford is hereby amended by adding the following new section.

Sec. 16-97. Wastewater Enterprise Fund.

Effective December 31, 1992, the Wastewater Enterprise Fund shall be terminated and all moneys contained in accounts therein shall be transferred as directed by the Treasurer, consistent with the terms and conditions of the City's Wastewater System General Revenue Bond Resolution and subject to any other contractual requirements as to disposition of such funds, to one or more of the funds and accounts established under said resolution.

SECTION 2. Chapter 16, Article V entitled SEWER CHARGES, is hereby further amended effective December 31, 1992, by striking out Section 16-96 in its entirety and renumbering Section 16-97 to 16-96.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws.

IN CITY COUNCIL, October 22, 1992
Passed to a second reading. Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, November 12, 1992
Passed to be Ordained - Yeas 11, Nays 0.
Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk
Presented to the Mayor for approval November 16, 1992.
Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk
Approved November 23, 1992. Rosemary S. Tierney, Mayor

a true copy, attest:

JANICE A. DAVIDIAN, CITY CLERK

CITY ORDINANCES

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

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AN ORDINANCE

PERTAINING TO THE SALARY OF
PRESIDENT OF THE CITY COUNCIL

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:-

SECTION 1. Chapter 2, Section 2-45 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New Bedford is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof, the following:

The salary of the president of the city council shall be \$10,450. per annum effective on January 1, 1993.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws.

IN CITY COUNCIL, November 12, 1992
Passed to a second reading - Yeas 8, Nays 2.
Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, December 17, 1992
Passed to be Ordained - Yeas 9, Nays 2.
Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk
Presented to the Mayor for approval December 21, 1992.
Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk
Returned by the Mayor Unsigned on December 22, 1992.

a true copy, attest:

JANICE A. DAVIDIAN, CITY CLERK

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety two

AN ORDINANCE

AMENDING CHAPTER 4 RE: DOGS

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:-

SECTION 1. Chapter 4, ANIMALS, Article II. DOGS; RABIES CONTROL, of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New Bedford is hereby amended by adding a first paragraph as follows:

Section 4-19. Licensing.

All dogs shall be licensed annually before April 1st in the Office of the City Clerk. No kennel license of five (5) dogs or more shall be issued in any residentially zoned area.

SECTION 2. Section 4-25 entitled Penalties. is hereby amended by striking out the last sentence in (b) - "Said fine shall be paid directly to the treasurer of the city." - and adding the following new paragraph:

(c) Said fines shall be issued under the provisions of Sec. 17-18, the ticketing by-law.

SECTION 3. Section 4-32 entitled Same-Fee. is hereby amended by striking out the words "five dollars (\$5.00)" and inserting in place thereof the words "ten dollars (\$10.00)" and by adding a second paragraph as follows:

"License fees shall be set from time to time by order of the City Council."

SECTION 4. Section 4-35 entitled Responsibilities of veterinarians. is hereby amended by adding a second paragraph as follows:

All Veterinarians shall send a copy of each rabies vaccination certificate within thirty (30) days of each vaccination to the City or Town Clerk wherein such owner or keeper of each dog resides, as required by M.G.L. Chapter 140, Section 145B.

SECTION 5. Section 4-28 entitled Restraint of dogs; nuisance abatement; notice to remove or destroy dog. is hereby amended by striking out in paragraph four, beginning at line seven, the following words:

"section 1-9 of the Code; provided however, no penalty under this section shall be incurred unless it shall be proved to the satisfaction of the court before which such complaint shall be heard and tried, that such dog had, in the manner aforesaid, endangered the safety or disturbed the quiet of one or more persons in the city."

and by adding the following in place thereof:

section 17-18, the ticketing by-law.

SECTION 6. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws.

IN CITY COUNCIL, November 24, 1992

Passed to a second reading.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, December 17, 1992

Passed to be Ordained - Yeas 11, Nays 0.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval December 21, 1992.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

Approved on December 21, 1992.

Rosemary S. Tierney, Mayor

a true copy, attest:

JANICE A. DAVIDIAN, CITY CLERK

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety-two

AN ORDINANCE

PERTAINING TO PERSONNEL
UNIT C CLASSIFICATION AND SALARY PLAN

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:-

SECTION 1. Chapter 19, Article I, Section 19-7 (b) of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New Bedford entitled, Salary Schedule, is hereby amended by striking out from the Grade of Part-time Positions, the Grade Listing MPT-1, in the entirety, along with the accompanying steps to that grade.

SECTION 2. Notwithstanding the provisions of Chapter 19, Article I, Section 19-7 (c) regarding the assignment and placement of the following positions to a pay grade and notwithstanding the provisions of Section 19-7.1(d) regarding the annual step advancement upon fifty-two weeks of creditable service, the following positions are assigned to the pay grades and steps noted below effective for the payroll period immediately following final passage, subject to the availability of an appropriation:

- (a) Assistant City Clerk from M-3, Step 4 to M-4, Step 4.
- (b) Assistant Clerk of Committees from M-4, Step 6, to Step 7.
- (c) Clerk of Committees from MPT-1, Step 7, to MPT-2 , Step 7.

SECTION 3. Chapter 19, Article I, Section 19-7(c) of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New Bedford is hereby amended by inserting the following titles, grades and steps:

TITLE	GRADE	STEP
Chief Financial Officer	M-15	1
Director of Cultural Development	M-7	1

*SECTION 4. Chapter 19, Article I, Section 19-7(b) of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New Bedford is hereby amended by inserting the following grade and steps under Part Time Positions:

STEPS

MPT-10	\$21,532;	22,609;	23,739;	24,926;	26,172;	27,481;
	28,855.					

**SECTION 5. Notwithstanding the provisions of Chapter 19, Article I, Section 19-7 (c) regarding the assignment and placement of the following position to a pay grade and notwithstanding the provisions of Section 19-7.1(d) regarding the annual step advancement upon fifty-two weeks of creditable service, the following position is assigned to the pay grade and step noted below effective for the payroll period immediately following final passage, subject to the availability of an appropriation:

Legislative Counsel from MPT-9, Step 7, to MPT-10, Step 1.

SECTION 6. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws.

IN CITY COUNCIL, November 12, 1992

Passed to a second reading - Yeas 9, Nays 1

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, December 17, 1992

*AMENDED by adding to Sec. 19-7(b) Grade - Part-Time Positions the following:

STEPS

MPT-10	\$21,532;	22,609;	23,739;	24,926;	26,172;	27,481;
	28,855.					

**and by amending Sec. 19-7(c), Legislative Counsel from Grade MPT-9, Step 7, to read: MPT-10, Step 1 - Yeas 11, Nays 0.

Passed to be ordained as amended - Yeas 11, Nays 0.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval December 23, 1992.

Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

RETURNED UNSIGNED by the Mayor on January 4, 1993.

a true copy, attest:

JANICE A. DAVIDIAN, CITY CLERK

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety-two

AN ORDINANCE

AMENDING AND REVISING CHAPTER 19 OF THE CITY CODE
RELATIVE TO PERSONNEL

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:-

SECTION 1. Chapter 19, Article I, Section 19-7(c) of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New Bedford is hereby amended by adding the following Titles in the pay Grade and Step listed below:

Data Lister	Grade M-3, Step 1
Field Appraiser/Data Lister	Grade M-11, Step 1
Principal EMT	Grade M-9, Step 6

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws.

IN CITY COUNCIL, November 24, 1992
Passed to a second reading. Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, December 17, 1992
Passed to be ordained - Yeas 10, Nays 1.
Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk
Presented to the Mayor for approval January 15, 1993.
Janice A. Davidian, City Clerk
Approved January 15, 1993. Rosemary S. Tierney, Mayor

a true copy, attest: JANICE A. DAVIDIAN, CITY CLERK

